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## PREFACE

THIS work is not written with any idea of teaching poets their business, but it is hoped that it may be the means of saving time to those who have already learnt it. Without making any pretension to absolute completeness, it is claimed that this is at the same time more complete, more compact, and more up-to-date than any other rhyming dictionary on the market.

A great saving of space has been effected by the almost entire omission of false rhymes which encumber so many works of a similar nature. In the few cases where these are given they are italicised. While all great poets have rightly preferred at times to sacrifice accuracy of sound rather than do injustice to some noble thought, it is submitted that every poet must be his own judge of the licence he can afford to take in this direction, and it is not for the compiler of a rhyming dictionary to suggest departures from correct rhyming, still less to justify such departures on the strength of quotations from Burns or other authorities who have used them.

The words given are divided into two main classes.

Under the heading "*Single, or One-Syllable Rhymes,*" are given those words which rhyme on the last syllable only. These words are accented either on the last syllable or on the antepenultimate : but a few words with weakly accented penultimates (e.g. "complex" to rhyme with "annex") are given in italics as almost permissible single rhymes.

Under the heading "*Double, or Two-Syllable Rhymes,*" are given those words which rhyme on the last two syllables, with the accent on the penultimate. Combinations of two words to rhyme with these are for the most part omitted. They are easy to invent for oneself, but are not always considered legitimate.

Triple or Three-Syllable Rhymes as such are not given, though a few of these have been included under the Double Rhymes (e.g. galleon, stallion) as being on the borderland.

To find any required rhyme, turn up the heading which begins with the first vowel in the last syllable (or in the case of double rhymes, of the penultimate syllable) of the word to which a rhyme is sought. These headings are arranged in alphabetical order.

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## SINGLE OR ONE-SYLLABLE RHYMES

### A, AA, AH

ah !	fistula	taffeta	majolica
baa	formula	uvula	metabola
ha !	fuchsia	acacia	neuralgia
hah !	genera	ambrosia	nostalgia
la !	gondola	anathema	parabola
ma	lamina	angelica	peninsula
aha !	mantua	apocrypha	phenomena
faux pas	nausea	auricula	regalia
ha ! ha !	nebula	basilica	sciatica
holla !	omega	camellia	tarantula
hurrah !	opera	dyspepsia	utopia
huzza	orchestra	effluvia	cyclopaedia
mamma	plethora	ephemera	euthanasia
papa	scapula	eupepsia	hydrophobia
algebra	scrofula	fantasia	prolegomena
area	sepia	hyperbola	encyclopaedia
copula	spatula	hysteria	paranomasia
dahlia	stamina	inertia	paraphernalia

### AB

blab	drab	lab	slab
cab	frab	jab	stab
crab	gab	nab	tab
dab	grab	scab	

### ABE

babe	astrolabe
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**AC, ACK**

back	pack	stack	almanac
black	plaque	tack	bric-a-brac
clack	quack	thwack	cardiac
claque	rack	track	maniac
crack	sac	whack	zodiac
hack	sack	aback	demoniac
jack	shack	alack	hypochon-
knack	slack	attack	driac
lac	smack	gimcrack	salammoniac
lack	snack	nick-nack	

**ACE**

ace	lace	apace	outface
base	mace	debase	outpace
bass	pace	deface	replace
brace	place	disgrace	unlace
case	plaice	displace	interlace
chase	race	efface	interspace
dace	space	embrace	populace
face	trace	grimace	
grace	abase	misplace	

**ACH, ATCH**

batch	patch	thatch	unlatch
catch	ratch	attach	unattach
hatch	scratch	despatch	
lateh	smatch	detach	
match	snatch	dispatch	

*For rhymes to watch, see OTCH.*

**ACHE (see AKE)****ACT**

act	sacked	compact	retract
backed	slackend	contact	diffract
blacked	smacked	detract	subact
clacked	stacked	abstract	subtract
cracked	tact	distract	transact
fact	tacked	enact	cataphract
fract	thwacked	epact	cataract
hacked	tract	exact	counteract
jacked	tracked	extract	incompact
lacked	whacked	impact	interact
pact	attacked	infract	precontract
packed	attract	protract	re-enact
quacked	co act	react	
racked		refract	

## AD

add	dad	mad	bedad
bad	fad	pad	ironclad
bade	gad	plaid	olympiad
brad	glad	rad	
cad	had	sad	
clad	lad	shad	

For rhymes to *wad*, *quad*, and *squad*, see OD.

## ADE (French)

charade	façade	pomade
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## ADE (long English A)

aid	sprayed	defrayed	unmade
blade	staid	degrade	upbraid
braid	stayed	delayed	accolade
brayed	strayed	dismayed	ambuscade
cade	swayed	displayed	barricade
fade	trade	dissuade	bastinade
flayed	weighed	essayed	cannonade
frayed	wade	evade	cavalcade
glade	afraid	grenade	centigrade
grade	allayed	inlaid	esplanade
jade	arcade	invade	disarrayed
lade	arrayed	inveighed	disobeyed
laid	belayed	obeyed	fusilade
made	betrayed	parade	gasconade
maid	bewrayed	persuade	lemonade
mayed	blockade	pervade	marmalade
neighed	brigade	portrayed	masquerade
paid	brocade	purveyed	overlaid
played	cascade	relaind	palisade
prayed	cockade	repaid	pasquinade
preyed	conveyed	surveyed	renegade
rajd	crusade	tirade	retrograde
shade	decayed	unlade	serenade
spade	decade	unpaid	underlaid

## ADGE

badge	cadge	padge
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## ADZE, ADS

adze	clads	pads	ironclads
adds	dads	plaids	
brads	gads	rads	
cads	lads	shads	

**AFF**

chafe	waif	vouchsafe
safe	unsafe	

**AFF (short)**

chaff	distaff	cenotaph	telegraph
gaff	giraffe	epitaph	phonograph
staff	riff-raff	paragraph	photograph
carafe	tipstaff	quarter-staff	cinematograph

**AFF (long)**

chaff	staff	cenotaph	phonograph
calf	carafe	epitaph	photograph
half	distaff	paragraph	cinematograph
laugh	giraffe	quarter-staff	behalf
quaff	tipstaff	telegraph	scarf

**AFT**

aft	graft	staffed	paragraphed
chaffed	haft	waft	phonographed
raft	laughed	abaft	photographed
daft	quaifed	ingraft	-understaffed
draft	raft	handicraft	cinematographed
draught	shaft	overstaffed	

**AG**

bag	gag	rag	stag
brag	hag	sag	swag
crag	jag	scrag	tag
drag	lag	shag	wag
fag	nag	slag	tag-rag
flag	quag	snag	zig-zag

**AGE (long)**

age	page	wage	presage
cage	rage	assuage	(verb)
gage	sage	engage	disengage
gauge	stage	enrage	

**AGE (short)**

appanage	hermitage	patronage	vicarage
equipage	parentage	personage	concubinage
foliage	parsonage	pilgrimage	
heritage	pasturage	villanage	

**AH (see A)****AID (see ADE)**

**AII., ALE**

ale	mall	tail	exhale
ball	male	tale	impale
brail	nail	trail	prevail
dale	pale	vale	regale
fail	pail	veil	retail (verb)
flail	quail	wail	unveil
frail	rail	wale	wholesale
gale	sail	whale	countervail
gaol	sale	assail	farthingale
grail	scale	avail	nightingale
hail	shale	blackmail	they'l'
hale	snail	bewail	
jail	stale	curtail	
kail	swale	detail (verb)	

**AIM, AME**

aim	game	aflame	nickname
blame	lame	became	proclaim
came	mal'm	declaim	reclaim
claim	name	defame	surname
dame	same	disclaim	overcame
fame	shame	exclaim	
flame	tame	inflame	
frame	acclaim	misname	

**AIN, ANN**

bane	pane	vane	explain
blain	plain	vein	henbane
brain	plane	wain	maintain
cain	rain	wane	obtain
chain	reign	abstain	ordain
crane	rein	amain	pertain
deign	sane	arraign	profane
drain	skein	attain	refrain
fain	slain	campaign	regain
fane	sprain	champagne	remain
feign	stain	complain	restrain
gain	strain	constrain	retain
grain	swain	contain	sustain
lain	ta'en	detain	appertain
lane	thane	disdain	entertain
main	train	distain	
mane	twain	domain	
pain	vain	enchain	hurricane

AENT

ain't	paint	taint	constraint
faint	plaint	acquaint	distraint
feint	quaint	attaint	restraint
mayn't	saint	complaint	

AIR ARE

air	lair	tear (verb)	forswear
bare	mare	their	howe'er
bear	mayor	there	impair
blare	ne'er	ware	prepare
care	pair	wear	repair
chair	pare	were	whate'er
dare	pear	where	whene'er
e'er	prayer	yare	where'er
ere	rare	affair	debonair
fair	scare	arm-chair	howsoe'er
fare	share	aware	solitaire
flair	snare	beware	unaware
flare	spare	co-heir	whatsoe'er
gare	square	compare	millionaire
glair	stair	declare	commission-
glare	stare	despair	aire
hair	sware	elsewhere	concession-
hare	swear	ensnare	alre
heir	tare	forbear	

AILED

aired	gared	spared	declared
bared	glared	squared	despaired
beared	-haired	staired	ensnared
blared	laird	stared	impaired
cared	paifred	tared	prepared
chaired	pared	wared	repaired
dared	scared	yared	
fared	shared	bewared	
flared	snared	compared	

## ANS. ARES

AISE, AZE

baize	braze	days	flays
blaze	chaise	daze	frays
braise	clays	drays	gaze
brays	craze	fays	glaze

AISE, AZE—*continued*

graze	raise	belays	relays
greys	rays	betrays	repays
hays	raze	bewrays	soirées
haze	slays	conveys	sideways
jays	sprays	cross-ways	subways
lays	stays	decays	surveys
laze	strays	defrays	tramways
malze	sways	delays	waylays
mays	traits	dismays	déjeuners
maze	trays	displays	disarrays
nays	ways	essays	disobeys
naze	weighs	erase	matinées
neighs	wheys	hurrahs	paraphrase
pays	yeas	inlays	roundelay
phase	ablaze	inveighs	stowaways
phrase	affrays	levées	runaways
plays	allays	obeys	cabriolets
praise	amaze	outweighs	
drays	appraise	portrays	
preys	arrays	purveys	

ARR. ATE (*long*)

bait	state	placate	calculate
bate	straight	prostrate	candidate
crate	strait	rebate	captivate
date	wait	relate	castigate
eight	weight	sedate	celebrate
fate	abate	translate	circulate
freight	await	vacate	congregate
gait	belate	abdicate	consecrate
gate	collate	abrogate	contemplate
grate	create	advocate	cultivate
great	cremate		dedicate
hate	debate	(verb)	delegate
late	dilate	aggravate	(vb.)
mate	elate	agitare	deprecate
pate	estate	alienate	derogate
plate	frustrate	animate	decimate
prate	ingrate		desolate (vb.)
rate	innate	(verb)	dislocate
sate	irate	annotate	dissipate
skate	migrate	antedate	educate
slate	narrate	arbitrate	elevate
spate	orate	arrogate	emigrate
		aspire (vb.)	emulate
		cachinnate	

**Arr. ATE (long)—continued**

estimate(vb.)	propagate	capacitate	facilitate
extricate	regulate	capitulate	felicitate
formulate	reprobate	coagulate	illuminate
fornicate	(verb)	commemorate	impersonate
generate	ruminant	commiserate	importunate
hesitate	rusticate	communicate	(verb)
hibernate	satiate	compassion-	initiate
knitiate	separate	ate (verb)	intimidate
immolate	stipulate	confederate	intoxicate
impetratae	subjugate	(verb)	invalidate
imprecate	suffocate	congratulate	investigate
innovate	syndicate	contaminate	matriculate
instigate	(verb)	co-operate	necessitate
intimate(vb.)	temperate	corroborate	participate
irritate	(verb)	debilitate	precipitate
inundate	terminant	degenerate	(verb)
magistrate	telle-d telle	(verb)	predestinate
meditate	titivate	deliberate	(verb)
militate	tolerate	(verb)	predominate
mitigate	triturate	denominate	premeditate
moderate	vindicate	depopulate	prevaricate
(verb)	violate	discriminate	procrastinate
nominate	abominate	elaborate(vb.)	recriminate
oscillate	accelerate	emancipate	regenerate
penetrate	accentuate	emasculate	reiterate
perforate	accommodate	equivocate	reverberate
perpetrate	accumulate	eradicate	subordinate
personate	adulterate	evaporate	(verb)
postulate	annihilate	exaggerate	excommunicate
(verb)	anticipate	exasperate	incapacitate
potentate	articulate	expectorate	
predicate	(verb)	expostulate	
(verb)	assassinate	exterminate	

**ATE (short)**

These words are often used as rhymes to Arr. ATE (long)			
accurate	celibate	intimate	postulate
adequate	delegate	(adj.)	(noun)
advocate	(noun)	intricate	predicate
(noun)	delicate	literate	(noun)
animate(adj.)	desolate(adj.)	moderate	profligate
aspire	desperate	(adj.)	reprobate
(noun)	estimate	obstinate	(noun)
candidate	fortunate	passionate	separate(adj.)

**ATE (short)—continued**

temperate	confederate	illiterate	precipitate
(adj.)	(adj.)	immoderate	(adj.)
syndicate	considerate	importunate	predestinate
(noun)	degenerate	(adj.)	(adj.)
affectionate	(adj.)	inanimate	subordinate
articulate	dellberate	insatiate	(adj.)
(adj.)	(adj.)	intemperate	unfortunate
chalybeate	disconsolate	inverate	inarticulate
compassion-	effeminate	involute	indiscriminate
ate (adj.)	elaborate	legitimate	insubordinate
	(adj.)		undenominate

**ARTH**

balth	faith	wraith
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**ATE**

ache	lake	stake	keepsake
bake	make	steak	mandrake
brake	quake	take	mistake
break	rake	wake	namesake
cake	sake	awake	opaque
drake	shake	bespeak	partake
fake	slake	betake	snowflake
flake	snake	corn-crake	overtake
hake	spake	forsake	undertake

**AL**

mall	criminal	musical	diaconal
pal	critical	mystical	diagonal
shall	decimal	national	dogmatical
cabal	festival	natural	equinoctial
canal	funeral	pastoral	equivocal
trivial	general	pedestal	hymeneal
animal	genial	personal	hexagonal
annual	hospital	physical	imperial
arsenal	inimical	principal	impersonal
cannibal	initial	prodigal	intellectual
capital	interval	rational	municipal
cardinal	liberal	seneschal	octagonal
carnival	literal	several	original
clinical	littoral	temporal	pentagonal
comical	madrigal	terminal	poetical
conical	magical	tragical	political
conjugal	mareschal	whimsical	pragmatical
cordial	medical	asthmatical	problematical
corporal	mineral	colloquial	prophetical

**AL—continued**

reciprocal	oratorical	tyrannical
rhetorical	satirical	hypercritical
rheumatical	schismatical	hypocritical

**ALO**

talc	catafalque
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**ALD**

bald	drawled	sprawled	enthralled
balled	galled	squalled	installed
bawled	hauled	stalled	piebald
brawled	mauled	trawled	overhauled
called	scald	walled	emerald
crawled	scrawled	appalled	

**ALE (see AIL)****ALE (see AFF)****ALK, AUK, AWK (see also ORK)**

auk	calk	hawk	talk
balk	chalk	mawk	walk
baulk	gawk	stalk	tomahawk

**ALL, AUL, AWL**

all	fall	small	enthral
awl	gall	squall	football
ball	hall	stall	install
bawl	haul	tall	overhaul
brawl	mall	thrall	waterfall
call	maul	trawl	windfall
caul	pall	wall	
crawl	scrawl	yawl	
drawl	shawl	appal	

**ALM, ARM**

arm	charm	psalm	disarm
balm	farm	qualm	gendarme
barm	harm	alarm	salaam
calm	palm	becalm	madame

**ALMS**

Add s to above, also

alms

**ELSE**

false	valse	waltz
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**ALT (short)**

alt	asphalt
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**ALT (long), AULT**

fault	salt	cobalt
halt	vault	default
malt	assault	exalt

**ALVE (silent L)**

calve	halve
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**ALVM (L sounded)**

salve	valve
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**AM**

am	flam	ram	diaphragm
cam	gramme	sham	epigrain
clam	ham	swam	monogram
cram	jam	wigwam	oriflamb
dam	jamb	anagram	telegram
damn	lam	cryptogam	parallelo-
dram	lamb	cryptogram	gram
drachm	pram	diagram	

**AME (see AIM)****AMP**

camp	damp	scamp	decamp
champ	gamp	stamp	encamp
clamp	lamp	tramp	.
cramp	ramp	vamp	

For rhymes to swamp see OMP

**AN**

an	japan	gentleman	publican
ban	rattan	guardian	puritan
bran	sedan	harridan	ruffian
can	trepan	highwayman	stygian
clan	unman	husbandman	suffragan
fan	alderman	juryman	superman
man	anglican	journeyman	veteran
pan	artisan	lighterman	waterman
plan	aryan	merchantman	agrarian
ran	barbacan	midshipman	cesarian
scan	barracan	mussulman	cerulian
span	caravan	nobleman	civilian
tan	charlatan	oppidan	comedian
than	christian	ortolan	diluvian
van	clergyman	ottoman	diocesan
began	countryman	overman	elysian
divan	courtesan	partisan	equestrian
foreran	fustian	pelican	grammarian

AN—*continued*

historian	tragedian	postmeridian	disciplinarian
leviathan	unchristian	presbyterian	predestin-
librarian	antichristian	proletarian	arian
meridian	astrologian	subterranean	sesquipe-
pretorian	bacchanalian	theologian	dalian
prosodian	centenarian	trinitarian	attitudinarian
quotidian	cosmopolitan	unitarian	latitudinarian
republican	metropolitan	vegetarian	platitudin-
saturnian	millenarian	antediluvian	arian
tartarean	postdiluvian	antemeridian	valetudinarian

*For rhymes to swan and wan see ON*

## ANCE, ANSE

chance	elegance	complaisance	temperance
dance	enhance	consonance	utterance
glance	expanse	countenance	vigilance
lance	intrance	dissonance	deliverance
manse	mischance	ignorance	exorbitance
prance	romance	maintenance	extravagance
stance	séance	ordinance	exuberance
trance	ambulance	petulance	inheritance
advance	arrogance	sufferance	intemperance
askance	circumstance	sustenance	significance

## ANCH

blanch	ranche	carte-blanche
branch	stanch	

## AND

and	land	strand	caravanned
band	manned	command	contraband
banned	panned	demand	countermand
bland	planned	disband	deodand
canned	rand	expand	reprimand
fanned	sand	japanned	understand
gland	scanned	trepanned	
grand	spanned	unmanned	
hand	stand	withstand	

*For rhymes to wand see OND*

## ANE (see AIN)

## ANG

bang	hang	slang	twang
clang	pang	stang	harangue
fang	rang	swang	meringue
gang	sang	tang	mustang

**ANGE**

change	range	estrange
grange	strange	exchange
mange	arrange	interchange

**ANK**

bank	franc	rank	tank
blank	frank	sank	thank
cank	flank	shank	twank
clank	hank	slank	embank
crank	lank	spank	disrank
dank	plank	stank	mountebank
drank	prank	swank	

**ANSE (see ANCE)****ANT (short)**

ant	enchant	covenant	ruminant
bant	gallant	disputant	termagant
cant	implant	dissonant	vigilant
chant	levant	dominant	visitant
grant	recant	elegant	exorbitant
pant	supplant	elephant	extravagant
plant	transplant	ignorant	exuberant
rant	adamant	jubilant	inhabitant
slant	arrogant	militant	predominant
aslant	combatant	miscreant	significant
displant	complaisant	petulant	insignificant
decent	consonant	recreant	
discant	cormorant	recusant	

**ANT (long)**

aunt	plant	displant	transplant
can't	shan't	enchant	
chant	slant	implant	
grant	aslant	supplant	

*For rhymes to want see ONT*

**AP**

cap	jap	scrap	yap
chap	lap	slap	entrap
clap	map	snap	enwrap
dap	nap	strap	mayhap
flap	pap	tap	mishap
gap	rap	trap	
hap	sap	wrap	

**APE**

ape	drape	nape	shape
cape	gape	rape	tape
chape	grape	scape	escape
crape	jape	scrape	

**APES***Add s to above, also*

traipse

**APH (see AFF)****APSE, APS**

apse	haps	saps	yaps
caps	japs	scraps	elapse
chaps	laps	slaps	entraps
claps	lapse	snaps	enwraps
daps	maps	straps	mishaps
flaps	naps	taps	perhaps
gaps	raps	wraps	relapse

**APT**

apt	happed	sapped	wrapped
capped	lapped	scrapped	yapped
chapped	mapped	slapped	adapt
clapped	napped	snapped	entrapped
dapped	rapped	strapped	enwrapped
flapped	rapt	tapped	

**AQUE (see ACK)****AR**

are	star	hussar	scimitar
bar	tar	unbar	similar
car	afar	angular	singular
char	bazaar	avatar	titular
far	catarrh	calendar	vinegar
jar	cigar	caviare	dissimilar
mar	debar	cinnabar	irregular
par	disbar	popular	particular
scar	felspar	regular	perpendicular
spar	guitar	secular	

*For rhymes to war see OR***ARB**

barb	garb	rhubarb
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**ARCE, ARSE**

farm	sparse
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**ARCH**

arch	march	starch
larch	parch	countermarch

**ARD**

bard	marred	yard
barred	nard	blackguard
card	pard	bombard
charred	scarred	charade
guard	shard	debarred
hard	spared	disbarred
jarred	starred	discard
lard	tarred	façade

*For rhymes to ward see ORD (short)*

**ARE (see AIR)****ARF**

dwarf	wharf
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*For rhymes to scarf see AFF*

**ARGE**

barge	marge
charge	targe
large	discharge

**ARK**

arc	dark	shark	hierarch
ark	hark	spark	oligarch
bark	lark	stark	heresiarch
barque	mark	embark	
clerk	park	remark	

**ARL**

carl	mari	snarl
gnarl	parle	

**ARM (see ALM)**

*For rhymes to swarm and warm see ORM*

**ARN**

barn	darn	tarn	yarn
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*For rhymes to warn see ORN*

**ARP**

card	harp	sharp
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*For rhymes to warp see ORP*

**ARS, ARSE (*soft*)**

bars	scars	debars	cinnabars
cars	spars	disbars	regulars
chars	stars	guitars	scimitars
jars	tars	hussars	vinegars
mars	bazaars	unbars	particulars
pars	catarrhs	avatars	perpendiculars
parse	cigars	calendars	irregulars

**ARSE (*hard*) (see ARCE)****ARSH**

	barsh	marsh	
ART			
art	heart	tart	counterpart
cart	mart	apart	sweetheart
chart	part	depart	
dart	smart	dispart	
hart	start	impart	

*For rhymes to quart and wart see OBT*

**ARTH**

hearth	garth	swarth
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**ARVE**

carve	starve
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**As**

as	has	topaz
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**AHE (see ACE and AISE)****ASH (as in ash)**

ash	dash	mash	smash
bash	flash	pash	splash
brash	gash	plash	thrash
cash	gnash	rash	trash
clash	hash	sash	abash
crash	lash	slash	moustache

**ASH (as in wash), OSH**

bosh	losh	squash	wash
gosh	quash	swash	musquash
josh	splosh	tosh	

**ASK**

ask	cask	hask	task
bask	flask	mask	

**ASM**chasm  
spasmmiasm  
phantasmsarcasm  
cataplasmenthusiasm  
protoplasm**ASP**asp  
claspgasp  
grasphasp  
rasp**ASS**ass  
bass (*basket*)  
brass  
class  
crass  
gasgrass  
glass  
lass  
mass  
pass  
alasamass  
cuirass  
morass  
outclass  
repass  
surpassunclass  
coup de grace  
erysipelas**Ast**blast  
cast  
caste  
classed  
fast  
gassed  
grassed  
hastlast  
massed  
mast  
passed  
past  
vast  
aghast  
amassedavast  
bombast  
cuirassed  
forecast  
outcast  
outclassed  
repassed  
repastsurpassed  
unclassed  
metaphrast  
overcast  
enthusiast  
iconoclast**ASTE**based  
baste  
braced  
cased  
chased  
chaste  
faced  
graced  
haste  
lacedpaced  
paste  
placed  
raced  
spaced  
taste  
traced  
waist  
waste  
abaseddebased  
defaced  
disgraced  
displaced  
distaste  
effaced  
embraced  
grimaced  
misplaced  
outfacedoutpaced  
replaced  
shamefaced  
unchaste  
unlaced  
interlaced  
interspaced**AT**at  
bat  
brat  
cat  
chat  
fatflat  
gat  
gnat  
hat  
mat  
patplait  
rat  
sat  
spat  
sprat  
tatthat  
vat  
cravat  
cushat  
polecat  
acrobat**ATCH** (*see ACH*)

ATE (*see AFT*)

## ATH

bath	lath	path	hearth
hath	math	rath	aftermath

## ATHE

bathe	lathe	scathe	swathe
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## AUB

daub	orb	absorb
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## AUD

awed	fraud	laud	applaud
bawd	flawed	pawed	defraud
broad	gaud	strawed	guffawed
cawed	gnawed	thawed	haw-hawed
chawed	hawed	yawed	outlawed
clawed	jawed	abroad	overawed

AUGH (*see AFF*)AUGHT (*see AFT*)

aught	fraught	taught	bethought
bought	naught	taut	distraught
brought	nought	thought	forethought
caught	ought	wrought	methought
fought	sought	besought	overwrought

AUK, AULK (*see ALK*)AUN (*see AWN*)

## AUNCH

haunch	launch	paunch
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AUNT (*see ANT*)

daunt	haunt	taunt	avaunt
gaunt	jaunt	vaunt	

AUR (*see OR*)

## AUSE, AUZE

awes	draws	pause	because
cause	flaws	paws	guffaws
caws	gauze	saws	jackdaws
chaws	gnaws	squaws	turquoise
clause	haws	straws	withdraws
claws	jaws	thaws	overawes
craws	laws	yaws	
daws	maws	applaus	

Because also rhymes with wa-

## AUST

exhaust  
holocaust

crossed  
lost

*frost*  
*tossed*

## AVE

brave  
cave  
crave  
gave  
grave  
knaver

lave  
nave  
pave  
rave  
save  
shave

slave  
stave  
they've  
wave  
behave  
conclave

deprave  
engrave  
forgave  
margrave  
outbrave  
architrave

## AW

awe  
caw  
chaw  
claw  
craw  
daw  
draw  
flaw

gnaw  
haw  
jaw  
law  
maw  
paw  
pshaw  
raw

saw  
squaw  
straw  
thaw  
yaw  
foresaw  
cat's-paw  
guffaw

haw-haw  
jackdaw  
withdraw  
overawe  
usquebaugh

## AWL (see ALL)

## AWN

awn  
bawn  
brawn  
dawn

drawn  
faun  
fawn  
lawn

pawn  
prawn  
spawn  
yawn

withdrawn

## AX

axe  
backs  
blacks  
clacks  
claques  
cracks  
flax  
hacks  
jacks  
knacks  
lace

lacks  
lax  
packs  
plaques  
quacks  
racks  
sacs  
sacks  
shacks  
slack  
smacks

snacks  
stacks  
tacks  
tax  
thwacks  
tracks  
wax  
whacks  
attacks  
borax  
climax

gimcracks  
nick-nacks  
relax  
thorax  
parallax  
almanacs  
maniacs  
demoniacs  
hypochon-  
driacs

## AY

aye (ever)  
bay  
bray  
clay

day  
dray  
eh ?  
fay

flay  
fray  
gay  
grey

hay  
jay  
lay  
may

## AY—continued

nay	trait	decay	repay
née	tray	defray	soirée
neigh	tway	denay	subway
pay	way	dismay	survey
play	weigh	display	waylay
pray	whey	essay	déjeuner
prey	affray	gainsay	disarray
ray	allay	hooray	disobey
say	array	inlay	matinée
shay	assay	inveigh	runaway
slay	astray	levée	roundelay
spray	away	obey	stowaway
stay	belay	outweigh	cabriolet
stray	betray	portray	
sway	bewray	purvey	
they	convey	relay	

## AZE (see AISE)

## E, EA, EE

be	spree	rupee	oversea
bee	tea	scotfree	oversee
dree	tee	settee	patentee
fee	thee	trustee	pedigree
flea	three	absentee	perigee
flee	tree	apogee	presentee
free	we	assignee	recipe
gee	wee	bargainee	referee
glee	ye	cap-à-pie	refugee
he	agree	cognisee	repartee
key	bawbee	coterie	simile
knee	bohea	debauchee	vis-à-vis
lea	decree	devotee	animalculæ
lee	degree	disagree	covenantee
me	donee	eau-de-vie	extempore
pea	foresee	filigree	felo-de-se
plea	fusee	guarantee	facsimile
quay	grandee	jubilee	hyperbole
sea	grantee	jeu d'esprit	recognisee
see	houri	legatee	agapomene
she	lessee	mortgagee	
ski	on dit	nominee	

Words ending in Y (short) are also freely used by poets as rhyming to above

**EACE, EASE**

cease	niece
crease	peace
fleece	piece
geese	apiece
grease	caprice
lease	decease

decrease
increase
obese
police
release
surcease

chersonese
chimneypiece
frontispiece
masterpiece
verdigris

**EACH, EECH**

beach	each
beech	leech
bleach	peach
breach	preach
breech	reach

outreach
overreach

**EAD (*long*), EDE, EED**

bead	meed
bleed	need
breed	plead
cede	read
creed	rede
deed	reed
feed	seed
freed	speed
heed	steed
keyed	teed
knead	treed
lead	weed
mead	accede

agreed
concede
decreed
exceed
impede
knock-kneed
misdeed
mislead
linseed
precede
proceed
recede
secede

**EAD (*short*), see ED****EAF (*short*), EEF**

deaf

chef

clef

**EAF (*long*), see EEF****EAGUE, IQUE**

league teague

colleague fatigue intrigue

**EAK, EEK, IQUE**

beak	leak
bleak	leek
cheek	meek
cliique	peak
creak	peek
creek	pique
eek	reek
eke	seek
freak	shelk

shriek
sleek
sneak
speak
squeak
streak
teak
tweak
weak

week
wreak
antique
bezique
bespeak
critique
oblique
chic

*For rhymes to break and steak, see AKE*

<b>EAL, EEL</b>			
deal	peal	weal	profile
dell	peel	we'll	repeal
eel	reel	wheal	reveal
feel	seal	wheel	cochineal
heal	squeal	zeal	commonweal
heel	steal	anneal	deshabille
keel	steel	appeal	imbecile
kneel	sweal	conceal	he'll
leal	teal	congeal	she'll
meal	veal	genteel	we'll
<b>EALD, IELD</b>			
field	reeled	wield	concealed
healed	sealed	whealed	congealed
heeled	shield	wheeled	repealed
keeled	squealed	yield	revealed
kneed	steeled	afield	
pealed	swealed	annealed	
peeled	weald	appealed	
<b>EALM, ELM</b>			
elm		realm	overwhelm
helm		whelm	
<b>EALTH</b>			
health	stealth	wealth	commonwealth
<b>EAM, EEM</b>			
beam	ream	stream	esteem
bream	scheme	team	extreme
cream	scream	teem	misdeem
deem	seam	theme	redeem
dream	seem	beseem	supreme
gleam	steam	blaspheme	disesteem
<b>EAMT, EMPT</b>			
dreamt		attempt	exempt
tempt		contempt	unkempt
<b>EAN, EEN</b>			
been	lean	sheen	careen
bean	mean	spleen	convene
clean	mien	teen	demean
dean	quean	wean	demesne
e'en	queen	ween	foreseen
glean	scene	yean	machine
green	screen	between	marine
keen	seen	canteen	obscene

**EAN, EEN**—*continued*

routine	contravene	misdemean	tambourine
sardine	crinoline	nectarine	tangerine
serene	evergreen	nicotine	unforeseen
shagreen	gabardine	overseen	vaseline
terrene	gelatine	overween	velveteen
unclean	guillotine	quarantine	ultramarine
unseen	go-between	saccharine	
aniline	intervene	(noun)	
bombazine	margarine	submarine	

**EAND, LEND, etc***Add ED to above, also*

fiend

**EANT (see ENT)****EAP, EEP**

cheap	keep	sleep	beweeper
cheep	leap	steep	outleap
clepe	neap	sweep	outsleep
creep	peep	threap	overleap
deep	reap	weep	oversleep
heap	sheep	asleep	unasleep

**EAR, EER, ERE, EIR, IER**

beer	rear	brevier	chanticleer
bier	sear	career	chevalier
blear	seer	cashier	chiffonier
cere	sere	cohere	cordelier
cheer	shear	compeer	disappear
clear	sheer	endar	domineer
dear	skeer	inhere	engineer
deer	smear	rehear	fusilier
drear	sneer	revere	gazetteer
ear	spear	severe	gondolier
fear	sphere	sincere	grenadier
fleer	steer	uprear	halberdier
gear	tear	veneer	hemisphere
heat	tier	atmosphere	insincere
here	veer	auctioneer	interfere
jeer	weir	bandoller	mountaineer
leer	year	bombardier	muleteer
mere	adhere	brigadier	musketeer
near	appear	buccaneer	mutineer
peer	arrear	cannonier	overhear
pier	austere	cavalier	overseer
queer	besmear	chandelier	pamphleteer

<b>EAR, EER, ERE, EIR, IER</b>	<i>—continued</i>		
persevere	scrutineer	carabinier	
pioneer	sonneteer	charioteer	
privateer	volunteer	<i>congé-d'élire</i>	

**EARCH, ERCH, IRCH, URCH**

birch	lurch	search	
church	perch	smirch	research

**EARD (short), ERD, IRD, URD**

bird	sherd	begird	interred
burred	slurred	bestirred	preferred
blurred	spurred	concurred	referred
curd	stirred	conferred	transferred
erred	surd	deferred	ungird
gird	third	demurred	disinterred
heard	whirred	deterred	<i>massacred</i>
herd	word	engird	<i>registered</i>
knurred	absurd	incurred	sepulchred
purred	averred	inferred	<i>administered</i>

**EARD (long), EIRD**

beard	reared	weird	veneered																			
bleared	seared	adhered	buccaneered																			
cheered	sered	appeared	disappeared																			
cleared	sheared	arreared	domineered																			
-eared	sheered	besmeared	engineered																			
feared	skeered	breviered	interfered																			
fleered	smeared	careered	mountain-																			
geared	sneered	cashiered	jeered	speared	cohered	eered	leered	sphered	endeared	persevered	neared	steered	inhered	ploneered	peered	tiered	revered	privateered	queered	veered	upreared	volunteered
jeered	speared	cohered	eered																			
leered	sphered	endeared	persevered																			
neared	steered	inhered	ploneered																			
peered	tiered	revered	privateered																			
queered	veered	upreared	volunteered																			

**EARL, IRL, URL**

churl	furl	pearl	whirl
curl	girl	purl	uncurl
earl	hurl	twirl	unfurl

**EARN, ERN, URN, OURN**

burn	learn	yearn	sojourn
churn	quern	adjourn	unlearn
dern	spurn	astern	overturn
earn	stern	concern	unconcern
fern	tern	discern	
bern	turn	intern	
kerne	urn	return	

**EARSE** (*see ERCE*)**EART** (*see ART*)**EARTH, ERTH, IRTH**

berth	dearth
birth	earth

mirth  
worth*For rhymes to hearth, see ARTH***EASE (hard) (*see EACE*)****EASE (soft), EEESE, EEZE**

bees	seas	demise	fillgrees
breeze	sees	disease	guarantees
cheese	seize	displease	jubilees
drees	she's	donees	legatees
ease	sneeze	foresees	mortgagees
fees	spreees	fusees	nominees
frees	squeeze	grandees	overseas
freeze	teas	grantees	oversees
gees	tease	houris	patentees
glees	tees	lessees	pedigrees
he's	these	rupees	presentees
keys	threes	settees	recipes
knees	trees	trustees	referees
leas	wheeze	absentees	refugees
lees	agrees	assignees	repartees
mise	appease	bargainees	similes
peas	bawbees	cognisees	covenantees
pease	boheas	coteries	facsimiles
pleas	chemise	debauchees	recognisees
please	decrees	devotees	chevaux-de-
quays	degrees	disagrees	frise

*Plurals of words ending in y (short) are also freely used by poets as rhymes to above***EAST, IEST**

beast	fleeced	priest
ceased	greased	yeast
creased	leased	artiste
east	least	deceased
feast	pleced	decreased

Increased  
policed  
released*For rhymes to breast, see EST***EAT (long), EET, ETE, EIT**

beat	cheat	feet	greit
beet	eat	fleet	heat
bleat	feat	greet	leet

**EAT (long). EET, ETE, EIT—continued**

meat	suite	delete	retreat
meet	sweet	discreet	secrete
mete	teat	discrete	unmeet
neat	treat	effete	incomplete
peat	wheat	élite	indiscreet
pleat	complete	entreat	obsolete
seat	conceit	escheat	plebiscite
sheet	concrete	estreat	
sleet	deceit	repeat	
street	defeat	replete	

*For rhymes to great, see AIT*

**EAT (short), see ET****EATH (long)**

heath	teeth	unsheathe
neath	wreath	underneath
sheath	beneath	bequeath

**EATH (short)**

breath	death	saith
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**EATHE**

breathe	sheathe	wreath
seethe	teethe	bequeath

**EAVE, EIVE, IEVE, EVE**

beeve	lieve	believe	retrieve
cleave	reeve	bereave	unweave
eave	sleeve	conceive	disbelieve
eve	thieve	deceive	interleave
grieve	weave	perceive	interweave
greave	we've	receive	preconceive
heave	achieve	relieve	undeceive
leave	aggrieve	reprole	

**EB, EBB**

	ebb	web	
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**ECK**

beck	fleck	spec	henpeck
check	neck	speck	
cheque	peck	wreck	
deck	reck	bedeck	

**EOT**

becked	flecked	recked	wrecked
checked	-necked	sect	adject
decked	pecked	specked	affect

## ECT—continued

aspect	effect	pandect	traject
bedecked	eject	perfect	architect
bisect	elect	prefect	circumspect
collect	erect	project	dialect
confect	expect	prospect	disaffect
conject	infect	protect	disrespect
connect	inflect	refect	indirect
defect	inject	reflect	intellect
deflect	insect	reject	incorrect
deject	inspect	respect	intersect
direct	henpecked	select	introspect
dissect	neglect	subject	recollect
detect	object	suspect	retrospect

## ED, EAD (short)

bed	led	stead	instead
bled	pled	thread	misled
bread	read	tread	o'erspread
bred	red	wed	unread
dead	said	zed	unsaid
dread	shed	abed	gingerbread
fed	shred	ahead	loggerhead
fled	sled	behead	maidenhead
head	sped	bestead	trucklebed
lead	spread	inbred	

Also all preterites and past participles ending in *ed*  
when the *e* is not silent, as *spirited*

## EDE (see EAD, long)

## EDGE

edge	kedge	sledge	sacrilege
dredge	ledge	wedge	
fledge	pledge	allege	
hedge	sedge	privilege	

## EM (see E)

## EECE (see EACE)

## EECH (see EACH)

## EED (see EAD)

## EEF, IEF

beef	grief	chief	disbelief
brief	leaf	belief	handkerchief
chief	lief	enfeof	misbelief
fief	sheaf	relief	neckerchief
feof	ref	bas-relief	unbelief

EKK (*see* EAK)  
 EEL (*see* EAL)  
 EEM (*see* EAM)  
 EEN (*see* EAN)  
 EER (*see* EAR)  
 EESE, EEEZ (*see* EASE)  
 EET (*see* EAT)  
 EF (*see* EAF)

**EFT**

cleft	heft	theft
deft	left	weft
eft	reft	bereft

**Eg, EGG**

beg	leg	peg	nutmeg
egg	keg	seg	philabeg

EGE (*see* EDGE, also IDGE)  
 EGM (*see* EM)  
 EIGN (*see* AIN)  
 EIN (*see* AIN)  
 EINT (*see* AINT)  
 EIT (*see* EAT)

**EL**

bell	shell	foretell	cockerel
belle	smell	gazelle	doggerel
cell	spell	hotel	infidel
dell	swell	impel	mackerel
dwell	tell	pell-mell	muscatel
ell	well	rebel	parallel
fell	yell	repel	philomel
hell	befell	rondel	sentinel
hell	compel	asphodel	spaniel
knell	dispel	bagatelle	undersell
mell	excel	calomel	villanelle
quell	expel	caramel	
sell	farewell	citadel	

**ELD**

belled	jelled	welled	expelled
celled	knelled	yelled	impelled
eld	quelled	beheld	rebelled
felled	shelled	compelled	repelled
geld	spelled	dispelled	paralleled
held	swelled	excelled	sentineled

**ELF**

delf	self
elf	shelf
pelf	myself

thyself
himself
herself

ourself

**ELK**

elk

whelk

yelk

**ELM (see EALM)****ELP**

help	kelp
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whelp

yelp

**ELT**

belt	felt
celt	gelt
dealt	knelt
dwelt	melt

pelt

smelt

spelt

srelte

swelt

welt

veldt

**ELVE**

delve	helve
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shelve

twelve

**EM**

clem	stem
gem	them
hem	condemn
phlegm	contemn

apothegm

diadem

requiem

theorem

stratagem

**EME (see EAM)****EMPT (see EAMT)****EN**

den	men
fen	pen
glen	ten
hen	then
ken	wen

when

wren

again

amen

citizen

denizen

oxygen

hydrogen

nitrogen

waterhen

**ENS***Add s to above, also lens, cleanse***ENCE, ENSE**

cense	commence
dense	condense
fence	defence
hence	dispense
pence	expense
sense	immense
tense	incense
thence	intense
whence	nonsense

offence

pretence

prepense

suspense

abstinence

accidence

affluence

audience

competence

condolence

conference

confidence

confluence

consequence

continence

corpulence

crapulence

deference

**ENCE, ENSE**—*continued*

difference	nescience	turbulence	insipience
diffidence	negligence	vehemence	intelligence
diligence	opulence	violence	irreverence
eloquence	penitence	virulence	magnificence
eminence	permanence	beneficence	malevolence
evidence	pertinence	benevolence	mellifluence
excellence	pestilence	circumference	munificence
exigence	prescience	circumfluence	obedience
feculence	preference	coincidence	omnipotence
frankincense	prevalence	concupiscence	omniscience
fraudulence	prominence	convenience	pre-eminence
imminence	providence	equivalence	resilience
impotence	prurience	expedience	subservience
impudence	recompense	experience	transillience
incidence	redolence	impenitence	disobedience
indigence	reference	impertinence	inconveniencce
indolence	residence	improvidence	inexpedience
inference	reverence	incongruence	inexperience
influence	sapience	inconsequence	
innocence	subsidence	incontinence	
insolence	truculence	indifference	

**ENCH**

bench	drench	tench	wrench
blench	quench	trench	intrench
clench	stench	wench	retrench

**END**

bend	vend	expend	unbend
blend	wend	extend	apprehend
end	amend	forefend	comprehend
fend	append	impend	condescend
friend	ascend	intend	discommend
kenned	attend	misspend	dividend
lend	befriend	obtend	re-ascend
mend	commend	offend	recommend
penned	compend	perpend	reprehend
rend	contend	portend	reverend
send	defend	pretend	misapprehend
spend	depend	propend	superintend
tend	descend	protend	
trend	distend	transcend	

**ENE (see EAN)****ENGE**

avenge	revenge
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## NGTH

length

strength

ENSE (*see* ENCE)

ENT

bent	dissent	battlement	excellent
blent	event	blandishment	excrement
brent	extent	chastisement	exigent
cent	ferment	circumvent	feculent
fent	foment	co-augment	filament
gent	frequent	competent	firmament
lent	indent	complement	flatulent
meant	intent	compliment	fraudulent
pent	invent	condiment	fundament
rent	lament	confident	government
scent	misspent	confluent	gradient
sent	o'erspent	congruent	immanent
spent	ostent	consequent	immlinent
tent	present	continent	implement
vent	prevent	corpulent	impotent
went	relent	decrement	impudent
absent	repent	deferent	incident
acquaint	resent	detriment	increment
anent	torment	different	indigent
ascent	unbent	diffident	indolent
assent	abstinent	diligent	innocent.
attent	accident	discontent	insolent
augment	affluent	document	instrument
besprent	aliment	efluent	languishment
cement	ambient	element	lenient
comment	ancient	eloquent	ligament
consent	argument	eminent	liniment
content	armament	esculent	malcontent
descent	banishment	evident	management
measurement	ornament	prisonment	
merriment	parlament	prominent	
mollient	pediment	provident	
monument	penitent	prudent	
munition	permanent	punishment	
negligent	pertinent	ravishment	
nourishment	pestilent	redolent	
nutriment	precedent	regiment	
occident	prescient	represent	
opulent	president	resident	
orient	prevalent	reticent	

ENT—*continued*

reverent	belligerent	inconsequent
rudiment	bellipotent	incontinent
sacrament	beneficent	indifferent
sallent	benevolent	integument
sapient	circumfluent	intelligent
sediment	coincident	irreverent
sentient	concupiscent	lineament
sentiment	constituent	magnificent
settlement	convenient	maleficent
subsequent	discouragement	malevolent
succulent	disfigurement	medicament
supplement	disfranchisement	mellifluent
tegument	disparagement	misgovernm <sup>t</sup>
tenement	divertisement	mismanagem <sup>t</sup>
testament	embarrassment	misrepresent
tournament	embellishment	munificent
transient	embezzlement	omnipotent
truculent	emollient	omniscient
turbulent	encompassment	parturient
underwent	encouragement	plenipotent
vehement	enfranchisement	predicament
violent	ennoblement	pre-eminent
virulent	enravishment	recipient
wonderment	entanglement	relinquishment
accompaniment	equivalent	resilient
accomplishment	establishment	subservient
accoutrement	esurient	temperament
acknowledgment	experiment	circumambient
admonishment	habiliment	hereditament
advertisement	impediment	impoverishment
aggrandizement	impenitent	inconvenient
aperient	impertinent	pre-establishment
apportionment	imprisonment	re-establishment
arbitrament	improvident	supereminent
armipotent	incompetent	
astonishment		

## EP

nep  
repp

skep  
step

demirep

## EPT

crept  
kept  
pept

sept  
slept  
wept

accept  
adept  
except

yclept  
intercept

ER, ERR, IR, UR, RE			
blur	douceur	grasshopper	slanderer
burr	inter	barbinger	sophister
cur	prefer	islander	sorcerer
err	soldier	lavender	terrier
fir	transfer	loiterer	theatre
fur	arbiter	lucifer	thunderer
her	armiger	mariner	traveller
knur	barrister	massacre	usurer
myrrb	canister	messenger	villager
purr	character	minister	victualler
sir	chorister	murderer	voyager
slur	conjurer	officer	wagoner
spur	cottager	passenger	administer
stir	cylinder	pillager	adulterer
whir	disinter	presbyter	artificer
year	dowager	prisoner	astronomer
aver	flatterer	provender	astrologer
bestir	forager	register	idolater
demur	foreigner	reveller	interpreter
deter	gardener	sepulchre	philosopher

ERS, ERS, IRS, URS, URZE

*Add s to above, also*

furze

ERB, URB

curb	serb
herb	verb
kerb	disturb

reverb  
suburb  
superb

ERCE, ERSE, URSE, EARSE

curse	accurse	disperse	sesterce
erse	adverse	diverse	subverse
hearse	amerce	imburse	transverse
nurse	asperse	immerse	traverse
purse	averse	inverse	intersperse
terse	coerce	perverse	reimburse
verse	converse	precure	universe
worse	commerce	rehearse	
absterse	disburse	reverse	

ERCH (*see EARCH*)ERD (*see EARD*)ERE (*see EAR,*

ERF, URF

scurf      serif

surf

turf

**ERGE, IRGE, URGE, OURGE**

dirge	scourge	verge	emerge
gurge	serge	converge	immerge
merge	surge	deterge	
purge	urge	diverge	

**ERK, IRK, URK**

burke	kirk	shirk	yerk
dirk	lurk	smirk	handiwork
firk	murk	stirk	
irk	perk	turk	
jerk	quirk	work	

**ERM, IRM**

firm	term	confirm
sperm	worm	infirm
squirm	affirm	misterm

**ERN (see EARN)****ERSE (see ERCE)****ERST (see IRST)****ERT, IRT, URT**

blurt	squirt	dessert	ungirt
cert	vert	divert	unhurt
curt	wert	exert	controvert
dirt	wort	expert	disconcert
flirt	advert	inert	inexpert
girt	alert	insert	intersert
hurt	assert	invert	malapert
pert	avert	obvert	animadvert
shirt	concert	pervert	
skirt	convert	revert	
spurt	desert	subvert	

**ERTH (see EARTH)****ERVE, URVE**

curve	swerve	disserv	reserve
nerve	conserve	observe	subserve
serve	deserve	preserve	unnerve

**Es, Esce, Ess**

bless	fesse	stress	address
cess	guess	tress	aggress
chess	less	yes	assess
cress	mess	abscess	caress
dress	vress	access	compress

**Es, Esce, Ess—continued**

confess	depress	redress	prophetess
possess	digress	repress	repossess
princess	distress	success	sorceress
profess	duress	suppress	underdress
progress	express	transgress	adulteress
recess	excess	unless	ambassador
mayoress	impress	acquiesce	proprietress
overdress	largess	coalesce	nevertheless
poetess	noblesse	dispossess	
prepossess	obsess	effervesce	
priores	oppress	giantess	

*Also any compounds in -less and -ness in which the accent is not on the penultimate syllable. There are over a thousand of these.*

**ESS (see EACE and EASE)****Esh**

flesh	mesh	thresh	refresh
fresh	nesh	afresh	

**Esk, Esque**

desk	grotesque	picturesque
burlesque	arabesque	

**Esr**

best	west	distressed	suggest
blest	wrest	divest	suppressed
breast	yest	expressed	transgressed
chest	zest	excessed	unblest
crest	abreast	impressed	unrest
dressed	addressed	incest	acquiesced
guessed	aggressed	infest	coalesced
guest	arrest	inquest	dispossessed
hest	assessed	invest	effervesced
jest	attest	molest	interest
lest	behest	obsessed	manifest
meased	bequest	obtest	overdressed
nest	caressed	oppressed	palimpsest
pest	compressed	possessed	prepossessed
pressed	confessed	professed	reinvest
quest	congest	progressed	repossessed
rest	contest	protest	underdressed
stressed	depressed	recessed	disinterest
test	detest	redressed	
treas	digest	repressed	
vest	digressed	request	

**ER, ETE**

ate	bewet	alphabet	martinet
bet	brunette	amulet	mignonette
debt	cadet	anchoret	minaret
fret	coquet	banneret	minuet
get	coquette	baronet	novelette
jet	curvet	bassinette	omelette
let	duet	bayonet	overset
met	forget	cabinet	parapet
net	gazette	canzonette	parroquet
pet	lunette	cigarette	pirouette
set	piquet	coronet	rivulet
sweat	quartet	coverlet	sarcenet
threat	quintet	epaulette	summerset
vet	regret	epithet	suffragette
wet	rosette	etiquette	violet
whet	roulette	falconette	wagonette
yet	sestet	floweret	quodlibet
abet	serviette	leveret	videlicet
beget	upset	marionette	
beset	vignette	marmoset	

**ETCH**

etch	retch	stretch	vetch
fetch	sketch	wretch	outstretch

**ETE (see EAT)****EVE (see EAVE)****EUD (see OOD)****EUM (see OOM)****EW, Oo, UE**

(NOTE.—The vowel is pronounced as a diphthong in List I, and as a single vowel in List II, but the words in either list rhyme with those in the other)

**I (diphthong)**

cue	new	askew	subdue
dew	pew	bedew	avenue
due	spue	bellevue	barbecue
ewe	stew	endue	detinue
few	sue	ensue	impromptu
gnu	thew	imbue	interview
hew	view	mildew	parvenu
hue	yew	purlieu	residue
knew	you	pursue	retinue
lieu	adieu	renew	revenue
new	anew	review	

## Ew, Oo, Eu—continued

## II (single vowel)

blew	jew	who	taboo
blue	loo	woo	tattoo
brew	moo	accrue	undo
chew	rue	ado	unglue
clue	screw	bamboo	untrue
coo	shoe	beshrew	withdrew
coup	shoo	bestrew	yahoo
crew	shrew	canoe	billet-doux
do	slew	cuckoo	cockatoo
drew	strew	debut	entre nous
flew	threw	imbrue	hitherto
flue	through	eschew	kangaroo
fou	to	halloo	rendezvous
glue	too	ragout	hullabulloo
gout (taste)	two	shampoo	
grew	true	surtout	

## Ex, Ecks

becks	recks	aper	perplex
checks	sex	bedecks	reflex
cheques	specs	codex	vortex
decks	specks	complex	circumflex
flecks	vex	convex	
necks	wrecks	henpecks	
pecks	annex	index	

## Ey (see Ay)

## Ex

fez	says
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## I (see Y long)

## Ib

bib	fib	nib	squib
crib	glub	rib	o'ersib
drib	jib	sib	

## Ibs

Add s to above, also

dibs

## IBE

bribe	ascribe	proscribe	interscribe
gibe	describe	subscribe	superscribe
kibe	imbibe	transcribe	
scribe	inscribe	circumscribe	
tribe	prescribe	diatribe	

**Ic, ICK**

brick	rick	picnic	plethora
chick	sio	arsenic	politic
click	sick	bishopric	rhetoric
crick	slick	candlestick	splenetic
kick	stick	catholic	turmeric
lick	thick	choleric	archbishopric
nick	tic	empiric	arithmetic
pick	tick	fiddlestick	impolitic
prick	trick	beretic	
quick	wick	lunatic	

**Ics (see IX)****ICM (short) (see Is)****ICM (long), ISE**

bice	rice	trice	device
dice	slice	twice	entice
ice	spice	vice	precise
mice	splice	advice	suffice
nice	thrice	bespice	paradise
price	tice	concise	sacrifice

**ICH (see ITCH)****ICK (see Ic)****ICKS (see IX)****ICT, ICKED**

bricked	pricked	convict	relict
clicked	ricked	conflict	restrict
cricked	sicked	constrict	arsenicked
kicked	strict	depict	benedict
licked	ticked	evict	contradict
nicked	tricked	inflict	interdict
picked	addict	picnicked	
pict	afflict	predict	

**ID**

bid	kid	squid	outbid
brid	lid	thrid	overbid
chid	mid	amid	pyramid
cid	quid	bestrid	underbid
did	rid	eyelid	
hid	slid	forbid	

**IDE, IED**

bide	cried	dyed	glide
bride	died	eyed	gride
chide	dried	fried	guide

#### **IDE, LED—continued**

IDE, IDE—	continued		
hide	bestride	beautified	purified
hied	betide	certified	putrefied
lied	broadside	Christmastide	qualified
nide	collide	coincide	ramified
pied	complied	crucified	rarefied
plied	confide	deicide	ratified
pried	decide	deified	rectified
pride	decried	dignified	regicide
ride	defied	eastertide	sanctified
side	denied	edified	satisfied
sighed	deride	eventide	scarified
shied	described	falsified	signified
skied	divide	fortified	simplified
slide	elide	fratricide	specified
spied	espied	fructified	stillicide
stride	implied	gratified	stupefied
tide	inside	glorified	subdivide
tied	misguide	homicide	suicide
tried	outside	horrified	terrified
vied	outvied	justified	testified
wide	preside	magnified	verified
abide	provide	matricide	vilified
allied	relied	modified	vivified
applied	replied	mollified	whitsuntide
arride	reside	mortified	indemnified
aside	subside	multiplied	infanticide
astride	supplied	pacified	intensified
backslide	untied	parricide	solidified
belied	untried	petrified	tyrannicide
beside	amplified	prophesied	unqualified

IDES

Add s to nouns and verbs above, also  
ides              besides

<b>IDGE</b>			
<b>bridge</b>	midge	abridge	sacrilege
<b>fidge</b>	ridge	privilege	

*See also AGE (short)*

IPST

<b>bidst</b>	<b>kidst</b>	<b>amidst</b>	<b>overbidst</b>
<b>chidst</b>	<b>midst</b>	<b>bestridst</b>	<b>underbidst</b>
<b>didst</b>	<b>ridst</b>	<b>forbidst</b>	
<b>hidst</b>	<b>slidst</b>	<b>outbidst</b>	

IE (*see Y*)IEF (*see EEF*)

IEGE

liege              siege              assiege

besiege

IELD (*see EALD*)IEN (*see EAN*)IEND (*see EAND and END*)IER (*see EAR*)

IERCE

fierce

pierce

tierce

IES (*see Is and ISE*)LEST (*see EAST*)LEVE (*see EAVE*)

LF, IFF, YPH

cliff

sniff

whiff

if

stiff

hieroglyph

skiff

tiff

hippogriff

IFE

ife

life

strife

naif

knife

rife

wife

IFT

drift

shift

thrift

snowdrift, etc.

gift

shrift

tiffed

spendthrift

lift

sift

whiffed

uplift

rift

sniffed

adrift

IG

big

jig

sprig

periwig

dig

pig

swig

whirligig

fig

prig

twig

gig

rig

whig

grig

snig

wig

IGE

oblige (*no rhyme*)IGH (*see Y, long*)IGHT (*see ITE*)IGN (*see INE*)IGUE (*see EAGUE*)

IKE

dike

shrike

tyke

dislike

like

spike

alike

mislike

vike

strike

belike

unlike

**IL, ILL**

bill	ill	squill	fulfil
brill	kill	still	<i>idyll</i>
chill	mill	swill	instil
dill	nil	thill	quadrille
drill	pill	thrill	stock-still
fill	quill	till	until
frill	rill	trill	uphill
gill	shrill	will	codicil
grill	sill	distil	daffodil
grille	skill	downhill	domicile
hill	spill	freewill	watermill

**ILD (short), ILLED**

billed	gilled	spilled	fulfilled
build	grilled	stilled	instilled
chilled	killed	swilled	strong-willed
drilled	milled	thrilled	rebuild
filled	pilled	tilled	weak-willed
frilled	quilled	trilled	
gild	silled	willed	
guild	skilled	distilled	

**ILD (long), ILLED**

aisled	piled	wild	domiciled
child	riled	wiled	pentastyled
filed	smiled	beguiled	peristyled
guiled	stiled	compiled	reconciled
-isled	styled	defiled	
mild	tiled	exiled	
-miled	whiled	reviled	

**ILE**

aisle	style	erewhile	juvenile
bile	taille	exile	mercantile
chyle	tile	gentile	pentastyle
file	vile	pensile	peristyle
guile	while	revile	puerile
isle	wile	aquatile	reconcile
mile	awhile	camomile	versatile
pile	beguile	crocodile	volatile
rile	compile	diastyle	bibliophile
smile	defile	domicile(vb.)	anglophile,
stile	edile	infantile	etc.

**ILK**

bilk

ilk

milk

silk

**ILM**film (*no rhyme*)**ILN**kiln (*no rhyme*)**ILT**

built	jilt	spilt	wilt
gilt	kilt	stilt	atilt
guilt	milt	tilt	unbuilt
hilt	quilt	twilt	unspilt

**ILTH**

filth	illth	spilth	tilth
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**IM**

brim	limb	swim	cherubim
dim	limn	trim	interim
glim	prim	vim	pseudonym
grim	rim	whim	sanhedrim
him	skim	bedim	seraphim
hymn	slim	pilgrim	synonym

**IME**

chime	grime	slime	maritime
chyme	lime	thyme	overtime
climb	mime	time	pantomime
clime	prime	begrim	
crime	rhyme	sublime	
dime	rime	aforetime	

**IMES***Add s to above, also*

betimes	ofttimes	sometimes
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**IMP**

crimp	imp	limp
gimp	jimp	pimp

**IMPSE***Add s to above, also*

glimpse

**IN, INN, INE (short)**

bin	in	spin	berlin
chin	inn	thin	chagrin (vb.)
din	kin	tin	herein
djinn	lin	twin	maudlin
fin	pin	whin	therein
gin	shin	win	unpin
glynn	sin	akin	wherein
grin	skin	begin	within

**IN, INN, INE (short)—continued**

cannakin	heroine	mandolin	peregrine
capuchin	jacobin	mannikin	ravelin
culverin	javelin	masculine	violin
discipline	jessamine	minikin	widdershin
feminine	kilderkin	origin	
finickin	libertine	paladin	
harlequin	mandarin	palanquin	

**INCE**

mince	quince	since	convince
prince	rinse	wince	evince

**INCH**

cinch	finch	inch	winch
clinch	flinch	pinch	

**INCT, INKED**

blinked	prinked	twinked	hoodwinked
chinked	rinked	winked	instinct
clinked	shrinked	zincked	precinct
inked	slinked	depinct	succinct
kinked	swinked	distinct	indistinct
linked	tinct	enlinked	interlinked
pinked	tinked	extinct	

**IND (short), INNED**

binned	pinned	tinned	unpinned
chinned	shinned	twinned	disciplined
dinned	sinned	wind	tamarind
finned	skinned	abscind	
ginned	thinned	chagrined	
grinned	tind	rescind	

**IND (long), INED**

bind	signed	defined	refined
blind	shrined	designed	unkind
dined	twined	divined	untwined
find	whined	enshrined	unwind
fined	wind	entwined	counterminded
grind	wined	inclined	disinclined
hind	assigned	mankind	gavelkind
kind	behind	opined	interlined
lined	calcined	outlined	intertwined
mind	combined	purlind	underlined
mined	confined	reclined	undermined
plied	consigned	refined	womankind
rind	declined	remind	incarnadined

**INN (short) (see IN)**

## LNE (French) (see EAN)

## LNE (long)

brine	wine	opine	crystalline
chine	assign	outline	disincline
dine	calcine	outshine	eglantine
eyne	canine	recline	interline
fine	carbine	refine	intertwine
kine	carmine	repine	leonine
line	combine	saline	palatine
mine	compline	sunshine	porcupine
nine	condign	supine	saccharine
pine	confine	woodbine	(adj.)
shine	consign	untwine	saturnine
sign	decline	alkaline	superfine
sine	define	aquiline	turpentine
shrine	design	asinine	underline
swine	divine	brigantine	undermine
syne	enshrine	byzantine	uterine
thine	entwine	celandine	valentine
trine	feline	columbine	vespertine
twine	incline	concubine	incarnadine
vine	indign	coralline	
whine	moonshine	countermine	

## ING

bring	string	covering	opening
cling	swing	entering	reasoning
ding	thing	evening	reckoning
fling	wing	gardening	scaffolding
ging	wring	gathering	scattering
king	unsling	housekeeping	scatterling
ling	unstring	issuing	seasoning
ring	book-keeping	lawgiving	smouldering
sing	breakfasting	mastering	underling
sling	chambering	murmuring	uttering
spring	christening	muttering	westering
sting	colouring	offering	wondering

Also any participle of any verb ending in -ING with the accent on the antepenultimate.

## INGE

cringe	springe	astringe	syringe
dinge	stinge	attinge	unhinge
fringe	swinge	befringe	
hinge	tinge	impinge	
singe	twinge	infringe	

**LNK**

blink	link	skink	wink
brink	mink	slink	zinc
chink	pink	stink	bethink
clink	prink	swink	enlink
drink	rink	think	forethink
ink	shrink	tink	hoodwink
kink	sink	twink	interlink

**LN'R (short)**

dint	print	stint	reprint
flint	quint	tint	calamint
hint	splint	asquint	peppermint
mint	squint	imprint	septuagint

**LN'T (long)**

pint	ahint ( <i>Scotch</i> )
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**LNTH**

plinth	hyacinth	labyrinth
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**LNX, LNES**

blinks	lynx	sphinx	enlinks
brinks	minx	stinks	forethinks
chinks	pinks	swinks	hoodwinks
clinks	prinks	thinks	larynx
drinks	rinks	tinks	methinks
inks	shrinks	twinks	interlinks
jinks	sinks	winks	
kinks	skinks	zincs	
links	slinks	bethinks	

**IP**

chip	quip	equip	horsemanship
clip	rip	horsewhip	ladyship
dip	scrip	inship	mastership
drip	ship	landslip	partnership
flip	sip	outstrip	penmanship
gip	skip	township	prenticeship
grip	slip	unrip	scholarship
gyp	snip	battleship	sizarship
hip	strip	censorship	stewardship
jip	tip	chaplainship	workmanship
lip	trip	deaconship	apprenticeship
nip	whip	fellowship	co-partnership
pip	dog-whip	guardianship	dictatorship

**IPE**

gripe.	tripe
pipe	type
ripe	wipe
snipe	bagpipe
stripe	hornpipe

windpipe
unripe
archetype
antitype
linotype

monotype
prototype
stereotype

**IPSE, IPS**

chips	quips
clips	rips
dips	scrips
drips	ships
flips	sips
gips	skips
grips	slips
gyps	snips
hips	strips
lips	tips
nips	trips
pips	whips

eclipse
equips
<i>horse-whips</i>
inships
<i>landslips</i>
outstrips
<i>townships</i>
unrips
battleships
censorships
chaplainships
deaconships

fellowships
guardianships
ladyships
masterships
partnerships
scholarships
sizarships
apocalypse
dictatorships

**IQUE (see EAK)****IR (see ER)****IRCH (see EARCH)****IRD (see EARD)****IRE**

briar	plyer	aspire	require
buyer	prior	attire	respire
byre	pryer	bemire	retire
choir	pyre	<i>bonfire</i>	sapphire
crier	quire	conspire	<i>satire</i>
dire	sigher	defier	supplier
drier	shire	denier	suspire
dyer	shyer	desire	transpire
fire	sire	<i>empire</i>	<i>umpire</i>
flier	slyer	entire	untier
friar	skier	esquire	<i>wildfire</i>
gyre	spire	expire	amplifier
hire	squire	<i>grandsire</i>	beautifier
higher	tire	inspire	certifier
ire	trier	inquire	crucifier
liar	tyre	perspire	deifler
lyre	wire	<i>quagmire</i>	dignifier
mire	acquire	rellier	edifier
nigh-	admire	replier	falsifier

## IRE—continued

fortifier	mollifier	qualifier	stupefier
fructifier	mortifier	ratiſter	terrifier
gratifier	multiplier	rectifier	testifier
glorifier	pacifier	sanctifier	verifier
horriſter	petriflier	satisfier	vilifier
justifier	prophesier	scarifier	vivifier
magnifier	purifier	simplifier	indemnifier
modifier	putreflier	specifier	intensifier

IRGE (see ERGE)

IRK (see ERK)

IRL (see EARL)

IRM (see ERM)

IRP (see URP)

## IRST, ERST, URST

burst	nursed	asperſed	rehearsed
cursed	pursed	athirst	reversed
curſt	thirst	coerced	subversed
durst	versed	converſed	traversed
erſt	worst	disburſed	interspersed
first	abſtersed	dispersed	reimbursed
hearsed	accurſt	imburſed	
hurst	amerced	immersed	

IRT (see ERT)

IRTH (see EARTH)

## Is, Iz

biz	his	phiz	'tis
fizz	is	quiz	whiz

Also plurals of nouns in y (short)

## Is, Iss, ICE (short)

bis	armistice	interſtice	metabasis
bliss	artifice	liquorice	metastasis
hiss	avarice	orifice	metathesis
kiss	benefice	precipice	metropolis
miss	chryſalis	prejudice	necropolis
spiss	cicatrice	synthesis	paralysis
this	cockatrice	anabasis	parenthesis
wis	cowardice	analysis	anamorphosis
abyss	dentifrice	antithesis	apotheosis
amiss	edifice	aphæresis	metamor-
dismiss	emphasis	dīeresis	phosis
premiss	generis	hypostasis	elephantiasis
remiss	genesis	hypothesis	

Ise (hard) (see ICE)

Ise (soft), Ize

ays	comprise	catechize	idolize
buys	decries	cauterize	improvise
cries	defies	centralize	jeopardize
dies	demise	certifies	justifies
dries	denies	christianize	labeled
dyes	despise	circumcise	latinize
eyes	devise	civilize	legalize
fries	disguise	clarifies	lenifies
guize	emprise	compromise	liquefies
guys	espies	colonize	localize
hies	excise	criticize	magnetize
lies	implies	crucifies	magnifies
pies	incise	crystallize	manumise
plies	likewise	deifies	memorize
pries	mainprise	dignifies	mercerize
prize	nispriſe	dogmatize	merchandise
rise	outfiles	dulcifies	mesmerize
ryes	outvies	edifies	methodize
shies	premise	egotize	minimize
sighs	relies	emphasize	mobilize
size	replies	enterprise	modernize
skies	reprise	equalize	modifies
spies	revise	eulogize	mollifies
stles	supplies	exercise	moralize
thighs	surmise	exorcize	mortifies
ties	surprise	falsifies	multiplies
tries	unties	fertilize	neutralize
vies	unwise	formalize	notifies
wise	uprise	fortifies	nullifies
advise	advertise	fossilize	occupies
allies	agonize	fraternize	organize
applies	alkalis	frenchifies	ossifies
apprise	alkalize	fructifies	ostracize
apprize	amplifies	galvanize	otherwise
arise	anglicize	glorifies	oxidize
assize	authorize	gluttonize	pacifies
avise	bastardize	gormandize	patronize
baptize	beautifies	gratifies	pauperize
belies	brutalize	harmonize	penalize
capsize	brutifies	horrifies	petrifies
chastise	candifies	humanize	pluralize
complies	canonize	hypnotize	poetize

ISE (soft), IZE—*continued*

polarize	summarize	astronomize	nationalize
presurmise	supervise	capitalize	naturalize
prophesies	syllogize	characterize	personifies
pulverize	symbolize	contrariwise	philosophize
purifies	sympathize	demoralize	phlebotomize
putrefies	synchronize	deodorize	plagiarize
qualifies	synthesize	desilverize	popularize
ramifies	tabefies	disorganize	preoccupies
rarefies	tantalize	disqualifies	rationalize
ratifies	temporize	diversifies	sanctuarize
realize	terrifies	economize	secularize
rebaptize	testifies	epitomize	sensualize
recognize	tranquillize	eternalize	singularize
rectifies	typifies	evangelize	solidifies
rhapsodize	tyrannize	exemplifies	soliloquize
rubefies	utilize	extemporize	systematize
sanctifies	versifles	familiarize	synonymize
satirize	victimize	fecundifies	ventriloquize
satisfies	vilifies	generalize	visualize
scandalize	villanize	geologize	volatilize
scarifies	vocalize	geometrize	anathematize
scrutinize	vulcanize	harmonifies	epigram-
signalize	vulgarize	idealize	matize
signifies	weatherwise	idolatrize	municipalize
simplifies	allegorize	immortalize	particularize
solemnize	analogize	indemnifies	revolutionize
specialize	anatomize	intensifies	spiritualize
specifies	antagonize	italicize	international-
sterilize	apologize	macadamize	ize
stigmatize	apostatize	materialize	
stupefies	apostrophize	memorialize	
subsidize	astrologize	monopolize	

## ISH

culish  
dish  
fish  
pish  
wish

unwish  
aguish  
cleverish  
devilish  
feverish

gibberish  
heathenish  
Interwish  
lickerish  
willowish

womanish  
vapourish  
yellowish  
empoverish

## ISK

bisque  
brisk  
disc

frisk  
risk  
whisk

asterisk  
basilisk  
obelisk

odalisque  
tamarisk

**Ism, Ysm**

chrism	hebraism	priapism	libertinism
prism	hellenism	pyrrhonism	parallelism
schism	heroism	quietism	paralogism
abyss	bibernism	realism	patriotism
altruism	hypnotism	rheumatism	plagiarism
anarchism	ibsenism, etc.	sabbatism	polyphonism
aneurism	judaism	scepticism	polytheism
anglicism	laconism	socialism	protestantism
aphorism	latinism	solecism	puritanism
archaism	magnetism	stoicism	radicalism
atheism	mechanism	syllogism	ritualism
barbarism	mesmerism	synchronism	shavianism
calvinism	methodism	tritheism	unionism
cataclysm	modernism	vandalism	wesleyanism
catechism	monachism	vulgarism	americanism
criticism	mormonism	witticism	arminianism
darwinism.	mysticism	agnosticism	colloquialism
etc.	nepotism	anachronism	imperialism
despotism	occultism	catholicism	malthusianism
egoism	optimism	conservatism	orientalism
egotism	organism	empiricism	presbyterianism
euphemism	ostracism	epicurism	congregationalism
euphuism	paganism	evangelism	
exorcism	pantheism	fanaticism	
gallicism	paroxysm	idealism	
heathenism	pessimism	liberalism	

**Ist, IsSED, Yst**

cist	agist	annalist	dramatist
cyst	assist	aorist	dualist
fist	consist	atheist	duellist
gist	desist	beneficed	egoist
grist	dismissed	bicyclist	egotist
hissed	exist	bigamist	eucharist
hist	insist	botanist	exorcist
kissed	persist	cabalist	fabulist
list	resist	calvinist	fatalist
missed	subsist	casuist	formalist
mist	untwist	catechist	hebraist
twist	alchemist	coexist	hellenist
whist	amethyst	colonist	herbalist
wist	amorist	colourist	humanist
wrist	analyst	dialist	humourist
absist	anarchist	dogmatist	idolist

**Ist. Issed. Yst—continued**

intertwist	scientist	mineralist	anti-socialist
journalist	sciolist	misogamist	entomologist
lapidist	suffragist	misogynist	epigram-
latinist	symmetrist	monogamist	matist
loyalist	syncopist	monopolist	etymologist
medallist	theorist	mythologist	genealogist
metallist	vocalist	naturalist	imperialist
methodist	votarist	ontologist	malthusianist
millenist	academist	philologist	materialist
moralist	acolothist	phlebotomist	martyrologist
motorist	analogist	phrenologist	memorialist
novelist	anatomist	Polygamist	mineralogist
oculist	chirographist	ritualist	nationalist
optimist	chronologist	sensualist	opinionist
organist	diplomatist	separatist	physiogno-
pessimist	economist	sexualist	mist
planist	emblematical	socialist	physiologist
pluralist	enigmatist	tautologist	protectionist
pre-exist	epitomist	telegraphist	rationalist
prejudiced	eternalist	theologist	religionist
pugilist	evangelist	theomachist	spiritualist
realist	externalist	tobacconist	devotionalist
rhapsodist	geologist	ventriloquist	meteorologist
royalist	geometrist	visionist	
satirist	idealist	anagram-	
schematist	metallurgist	matist	

**Ir. Irn (short)**

bit	smit	outsit	favourite
cit	spit	outwit	howbeit
chit	split	permit	hypocrite
fit	sprit	pewit	infinite
flit	tit	refit	intermit
grit	twit	remit	intronit
hit	whit	submit	Jesuit
kit	wit	titbit	manumit
knit	writ	tomtit	opposite
lit	acquit	transmit	perquisite
nit	admit	unfit	preterite
pit	befit	albeit	pretermite
quit	bowsprit	apposite	recommit
sit	commit	benefit	requisite
skit	emit	definite	indefinite
slit	omit	exquisite	prerequisite

## ITCH, ICH

bitch	itch	stitch	bewitch
ditch	lych	switch	enrich
fitch	niche	twitch	hemistich
fitch	pitch	which	
hitch	rich	witch	
 <i>ITEM (long),IGHT</i>			
bite	slight	indict	eremite
bight	smite	indite	expedite
blight	spite	insight	impolite
bright	sprite	invite	midshipmite
cite	tight	midnight	neophyte
dight	trite	moonlight	overnight
fight	white	outright	oversight
flight	wight	polite	parasite
fright	wright	recite	proselyte
height	write	requite	recondite
hight	accite	sunlight	reunite
kite	affright	twilight	satellite
knight	alight	unite	second-sight
light	aright	upright	stalactite
mite	bedight	aconite	stalagmite
might	benight	acolyte	sybarite
night	contrite	anchorite	troglodyte
pight	delight	appetite	underwrite
plight	despite	bedlamite	yesternight
quite	downright	bipartite	archimandrite
right	enlight	carmelite	cosmopolite
rite	excite	chrysolite	hermaphrodite
sight	foresight	cœnobite	theodolite
site	ignite	disunite	
sleight	incite	dynamite	

## ITH, YTH

frith	pith	with	herewith
kith	sith	withe	therewith
myth	smith	forthwith	wherewith

## ITHE

blithe	lithe	tithe
hithe	scythe	writhe

## IVE (long), YVE

dive	gyve	naïve	shrine
drive	hive	rive	strive
five	live	shive	thrive

## IVE (long), YVE—continued

wife	beehive	deprive	survive
alive	connive	derive	overdrive
arrive	contrive	revive	
<b>IVE (short)</b>			
give	talkative	emanative	administra-
live	tentative	executive	tive
sleve	vocative	explicative	argumenta-
forgive	abdicative	figurative	tive
misgive	accusative	generative	authoritative
outlive	acquisitive	illustrative	commemora-
ablative	affirmative	imitative	tive
causative	alternative	imperative	communicati-
curative	appellative	inchoative	ve
formative	applicative	indicative	co-operative
fugitive	cogitative	infinitive	corroborative
genitive	comparative	inquisitive	deliberative
lambative	copulative	intuitive	determina-
laxative	consecutive	legislative	tive
lenitive	conservative	meditative	discrimina-
iucrative	contempla-	operative	tive
narrative	tive	palliative	eradicative
negative	contributive	preparative	illuminative
nutritive	correlative	prerogative	imaginative
positive	declarative	preservative	inoperative
primitive	definitive	procreative	insinuative
privative	demonstrative	provocative	interrogative
punitive	deprecative	recitative	justificative
purgative	derivative	recreative	remunerativ-
putative	decrogative	reparative	representa-
relative	desiccative	restorative	tive
sanative	diminutive	retributive	significative
semblative	distributive	speculative	opinionative
sensitive		superlative	ratiocinative
substantive		accumulative	

## IX. ICS, ICKS

bricks	nicks	styx	prefix
chicks	nix	ticks	prolix
clicks	picks	tricks	transfix
cricks	pricks	wicks	unfix
fix	pyx	admix	bishoprics
kicks	ricks	affix	candlesticks
licks	six	matrix	catholics
mix	sticks	picnics	cicatrix

**Ix. Ics. Icks—continued**

crucifix	heretics	politics	archbishop-
empirics	intermix	sardonyx	rics
fiddlesticks	lunatics	arithmetics	executrix
<b>O, Ow, Eau, Oe</b>			
beau	row	depot	overgrow
boh !	sew	forego	overthrow
bow	shew	foreknow	playfellow
blow	show	foreshow	portico
co	sloe	heigh-ho !	portmanieau
crow	slow	hello !	ratio
doe	snow	outgo	schoolfellow
dough	so	outgrow	undergo
floe	sow	plateau	vertigo
flow	stow	rondeau	adagio
foe	strow	soho	imbroglio
fro	though	allegro	incognito
glow	throe	apropos	intaglio
go	throw	bed/fellow	magnifico
grow	toe	buffalo	malapropos
ho !	tow	calico	mustachio
hoe	trow	cameo	papilio
know	woe	comme il faut	pistachio
lo !	ago	domino	punctilio
low	although	embryo	seraglio
mo	arow	folio	braggadocio
mow	banjo	furbelow	duodecimo
no	below	indigo	internuncio
oh !	bestow	mistletoe	generalissimo
O	bureau	nuncio	in statu quo
owe	chapeau	oleo	quid pro quo
pro	chateau	overflow	
roe	cocoa		
<b>Oach</b>			
broach	loach	abroach	
brooch	poach	approach	reproach
coach	roach	encroach	
<b>Oad, Ode, Owed</b>			
bode	flowed	lowed	owed
bowed	glowed	mode	road
blowed	goad	mowed	-roed
code	hoed	node	rode
rowed	load	ode	row

**OAD, ODE, OWED—continued**

sewed	toad	commode	episode
shewed	toed	corrode	folioed
showed	towed	erode	incommode
slowed	trowed	explode	overflowed
sowed	woad	forebode	overload
stowed	abode	unload	porticoed
strode	bestowed	à-la-mode	portmanteau'd
strowed	bestrode	dominoed	mustachio'd

**OAF**

loaf	oaf
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**OAK, OKE**

bloke	oak	woke	revoke
broke	poke	yoke	unyoke
choke	slope	yolk	artichoke
cloak	smoke	awoke	equivoke
coke	soak	bespoke	gentlefolk
croak	spoke	besmoke	masterstroke
folk	stoke	convoke	
joke	stroke	invoke	
moke	toque	provoke	

**OAKS, OKES, OAX**

Add s to above, also

hoax	coax
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**OAL, OLE, OL, OLL, OUL, OWL**

bole	pole	toll	parole
bowl	poll	troll	patrol
coal	role	vole	pistole
dole	roll	whole	unroll
droll	scroll	cajole	aureole
foal	shoal	comptrol	capriole
goal	sole	condole	caracole
hole	soul	console	girandole
jole	stole	control	girasole
knoll	stroll	creole	rantipole
mole	thole	enrol	

**OAM, OME**

clomb	holme	roam	currycomb
comb	home	tome	harvest-home
dome	loam	aerodrome	hippodrome
foam	mome	catacomb	palindrome

## OAN, ONE

bone	moan	zone	unsown
blown	own	alone	unthrone
cone	prone	atone	antepone
crone	roan	bemoan	chaperone
drone	sewn	depone	cornerstone
flown	shewn	dethrone	grindlestone
groan	shown	disown	gramaphone
grown	sown	enthrone	knucklebone
hone	stone	intone	monotone
known	tone	postpone	telephone
loan	throne	unknown	undertone
lone	thrown	unsewn	

OAP (see OPE)

## OAR, ORE

blore	lower	sore	forbore
blower	more	sower	foreshore
boar	moor	splore	forswore
boer	mower	store	ignore
boor	nore	swore	implore
bore	oar	thrower	restore
crower	o'er	tore	unmoor
core	ore	whore	battledore
corps	ower	wore	blackamoor
door	pore	yore	commodore
floor	pour	adore	evermore
fore	roar	afore	furthermore
four	rower	ashore	hellebore
goer	score	before	heretofore
gore	sewer	bestower	matadore
grower	shore	claymore	overthrower
hoar	slower	deplore	sycamore
knower	snore	encore	troubadour
lore	soar	explore	

## OARD, ORED, ORD (long)

board	horde	sored	encored
bored	moored	stored	explored
cored	pored	sword	ignored
floored	poured	toward	implored
ford	roared	abhorred	restored
froward	scored	aboard	unmoored
gored	shored	adored	untoward
gourd	snored	afford	
hoard	soared	deplored	

See also ORD (short)

OARSE (*see* ORCE)OAST, OST (*long*)

boast	post	innermost	uppermost
coast	roast	lowermost	uttermost
ghost	toast	nethermost	
host	almost	outermost	
most	hindermost	undermost	

## OAT, OTE

bloat	lote	throat	outvote
boat	moat	tote	promote
coat	mote	vote	remote
cote	note	wrote	anecdote
dote	oat	afloat	antidote
float	quote	connote	asymptote
goat	rote	denote	petticoat
gloat	smote	devote	table d'hôte
groat	stoat	misquote	

OATH, OTH (*long*)

both	loath	quoth	
growth	oath	sloth	troth

## OATHE, OTHE

clothe	loathe	betrothe
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OAX (*see* OAKS)

## OB

bob	job	quab	throb
cob	lob	rob	hobnob
fob	knob	sob	nabob
gob	mob	squab	thingumibob-
hob	nob	swab	

## OBE

globe	probe	conglobe	enrobe
lobe	robe	disrobe	

## OCK

block	frock	mock	padlock
brock	hock	pock	pibroch
cock	hough	rock	hollyhock
clock	knock	shock	laughing-stock
crock	loch	smock	stumbling-block
dock	lock	sock	
flock	lough	stock	weathercock

OCKS (*see Ox*)

## OCT., OCKED

blocked	frocked	rocked	decoct
cocked	houghed	shocked	<i>padlocked</i>
clocked	knocked	smocked	unblocked
crooked	locked	socked	unfrocked
docked	mocked	stocked	unlocked
flocked	pocked	concoct	

## OD

cod	odd	quod	trod
clod	pload	rod	wad
god	pod	shod	untrod
hod	prod	sod	demigod
nod	quad	tod	period

ODE (*see OAD*)

## ODGE

bodge	lodge	dislodge
dodge	podge	<i>hodgepodge</i>

OE (*see O and Ew*)

## OFF

cough	off	toff
doff	scoff	trough

## OFT

coughed	doffed	oft
croft	loft	scoffed

OG, OGUM (*short*)

bog	frog	prog	demagogue
clog	gog	shog	dialogue
cog	grog	slog	epilogue
dog	hog	agog	monologue
flog	jog	catalogue	pedagogue
fog	log	decatalogue	synagogue

OGUE (*long*)

brogue	rogue	vogue	prorogue
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## OICE

choice	voice	rejoice
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## OID

buoyed	alloyed	destroyed	asteroid
cloyed	annoyed	devoid	<i>misemployed</i>
joyed	avoid	employed	overjoyed
toyed	convoyed	enjoyed	unemployed
void	decoyed	alkaloid	paraboloid

**OIL**

boil	moil	toil	turmoil
broil	oil	despoil	disembroil
coil	soil	embroil	
foil	spoil	recoil	

**ON**

coign	loin	conjoin	sainfoin
coin	proin	disjoin	sirloin
foin	quoin	enjoin	subjoin
groin	adjoin	purloin	interjoin
Join	benzoin	rejoin	

**OINT**

joint	anoint	conjoint	disappoint
oint	appoint	disjoint	
point	aroint	counterpoint	

**OIR (see OR)****OISE, OYS**

boys	toys	employs	equipoise
buoys	alloys	enjoys	misemploys
cloys	annoys	envoys	overjoys
joys	convoys	savoys	pomerroys
noise	decoys	sepoys	saveloys
poise	destroys	counterpoise	

**OIST**

foist	joist	roist	rejoiced
hoist	moist	voiced	

**ORT**

colt	quoit	dacoit	
doit	adroit	exploit	introit

**OKE (see OAK)****OL (short), OLL**

boll	böll	capitol	vitriol
doll	extol	parasol	
loll	alcohol	protocol	

**OL (long), OLE, OLL (long) (see OAL)****OLD, OULD**

boid	doled	holed	rolled
boled	foaled	knolled	scold
bowled	fold	mould	scrolled
cold	gold	old	sold
aled	hold	polled	soled

**OLD, OULD—continued**

strold	condoled	freehold	untold
told	consoled	mistold	uphold
tolled	controlled	patrolled	withhold
trolled	cuckold	retold	copyhold
wold	enfold	threshold	manifold
behold	enrolled	unfold	marigold
cajoled	foretold	unrolled	

**OLK (see OAK)****OLT**

bolt	holt	poult	thunderbolt
colt	jolt	volt	
dolt	moult	revolt	

**OLVE**

solve	devolve	exsolve	revolve
absolve	dissolve	involve	circumvolve
convolve	evolve	resolve	

**OM**

bomb	from	pom-pom
<i>See also UM</i>		

**OME (see OAM and Oom)****OME (see OAM and UM)****OMP**

pomp	romp	swamp
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**ON**

con	swan	begone	dies non
don	wan	bonbon	sine qua non
gone	yon	hereon	
on	agone	'thereon	
shone	anon	'whereon	

*See also UN for words of three syllables and over ending in ON, which are perhaps legitimate rhymes to con.*

**ONCE, ONSE**

nonce	sconce	ensconce	response
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**OND, ONNED**

bond	pond	beyond	diamond
conned	wand	despond	vagabond
donned	yond	respond	
fond	abscond	correspond	

**ONE (see OAN)**

ONG (see also UNG)			
long	thong	along	oblong
prong	throng	belong	prolong
song	tong	<i>dingdong</i>	overlong
strong	wrong	<i>diphthong</i>	

ONGUE (see UNG)

ONS (see ONZE)

ONSE (see ONCE)

ONT (short)

font      want

ONT (long)

don't	wont	won't
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ONZE

bonze	cons	pons	bon-bons
bronze	dons	swans	

Oo (see Ew)

OOD (for blood and flood, see UD)

OOD (as in good)

could	stood	brotherhood	understood
good	wood	likelihood	underwood
hood	would	livelihood	widowhood
should	withstood	neighbourhood	misunderstood

OOD (long), EUD, EWED, UDE

(NOTE.—These rhymes are divided into two lists.  
Although the vowel is pronounced as a diphthong in  
List I, and as a single vowel in List II, the words in  
either list rhyme with those in the other.)

#### I (diphthong)

cued	allude	renewed	gratitude
dewed	bedewed	reviewed	habitude
dude	collude	subdued	interlude
feud	delude	transude	interviewed
hewed	denude	acritude	lassitude
hued	elude	altitude	latitude
lewd	endued	amplitude	longitude
mewed	ensued	aptitude	magnitude
nude	exude	attitude	multitude
spued	illude	barbecued	parvitudo
stewed	imbued	certitude	platitude
sued	<i>mildewed</i>	crassitude	plenitude
viewed	prelude	finitude	promptitude
you'd	pursued	fortitude	pulchritude

OOD (*long*), EUD, EWED, UDE—continuedI (*diphthong*)—continued

quietude	assuetude	inaptitude	serenitude
rectitude	beatitude	incertitude	similitude
sanctitude	consuetude	ineptitude	solicitude
servitude	decrepitude	infinitude	vicissitude
solitude	desuetude	ingratITUDE	inexactitude
torpitude	disquietude	mansuetude	dissimilitude
turpitude	exactitude	necessitude	

II (*single vowel*)

blued	rood	bestrewed	include
brewed	rude	canoed	intrude
brood	rued	conclude	obtrude
chewed	screwed	cuckooed	preclude
cooed	shoed	detrude	protrude
crude	snood	eschewed	seclude
food	strewed	exclude	shampooed
glued	wooed	extrude	tabooed
mood	accrued	hallooed	tattooed
prude	beshrewed	imbruued	unglued

## OOF

hoof	roof	aloof	disproof
oof	spooF	approof	reproof
proof	woof	behoof	

OOK (*see also* URE for approximate rhymes)

book	look	took	overtock
brook	nook	betook	undertook
cook	rook	forsook	
crook	shook	mistook	
hook	spook	overlook	

## OOL, ULE

(NOTE.—Although the vowel is pronounced as a diphthong in List I, and as a single vowel in List II, the words in either list rhyme with those in the other.)

I (*diphthong*)

buhl	you'll	ridicule
mule	yule	vermicule
pule	reticule	vestibule

II (*single vowel*)

cool	rule	stool	befool
fool	school	tooI	misrule
pool	spool	who'll	overrule

For rhymes to wool, see UL

## OOM, UME

(NOTE.—Although the vowel is pronounced as a diphthong in List I, and as a single vowel in List II, the words in either list rhyme with those in the other.)

## I (diphthong)

flume	consume	perfume	reassume
fume	exhume	presume	
spume	illume	relume	
assume	inhume	resume	

## II (single vowel)

bloom	gloom	tomb	dining-room
boom	groom	whom	drawing-room
brougham	loom	womb	elbow-room
broom	plume	beplume	hecatomb
coomb	rheum	deplume	
doom	room	entomb	

## OON, UNE, EWN

(NOTE.—The vowel is pronounced as a diphthong in List I, and as a single vowel in List II, but the words in either list rhyme with the words in the other.)

## I (diphthong)

hewn	tune	subduen	opportune
lune	viewn	triune	inopportune
stewn	immune	untune	
suen	pursuen	importune	

## II (single vowel)

boon	spoon	eftsoon	raccoon
chewn	strewn	eschewna	shallown
coon	swoon	festoon	simoon
croon	baboon	galloon	typhoon
june	balloon	harpoon	afternoon
loon	bassoon	jejune	honeymoon
moon	batoon	lagoon	macaroon
noon	bestrewn	lampoon	musketoon
prune	buffoon	monsoon	octoroon
rune	cartoon	platoon	oversoon
screwn	cocoon	poltroon	pantaloond
shoon	doublloon	pontoon	picaroon
soon	dragoon	quadroon	rigadoon

## OOP, OUP, UPE

(NOTE.—*The vowel is pronounced as a diphthong in List I, and as a single vowel in List II, but the words in either list rhyme with those in the other.*)

## I (diphthong)

dupe	cantelupe
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## II (single vowel)

coop	houp!	soup	whoop
croup	loop	stoop	nincompoop
droop	oop	stoup	
group	scoop	swoop	
hoop	sloop	troop	

## OOR, URE, EWER

(NOTE.—*The vowel is pronounced as a diphthong in List I, and as a single vowel in List II, but the words in either list rhyme with those in the other.*)

## I (diphthong)

cure	endure	calenture	sepulture
dure	immure	comfiture	signature
ewer	impure	coverture	sinecure
fewer	inure	curvature	discomfiture
hewer	manure	cynosure	entablature
lure	obscure	epicure	investiture
newer	ordure	forfeiture	judicature
pure	procure	furniture	legislature
sewer	pursuer	garniture	literature
skewer	renewer	immature	miniature
your	reviewer	insecure	temperature
you're	secure	ligature	primogeni-
allure	subduer	overture	ture
azure	voiture	portraiture	
demure	armature	premature	

## II (single vowel)

boor	sure	assure	insure
bluer	tour	brochure	unsure
brewer	truer	cocksure	evildoer
doer	wooer	conjure	paramour
fluor	abjure	contour	reinsure
moor	adjure	detour	
door	amour	ensure	

*For rhymes to floor, door, etc., see OAR*

**OOSE (sharp), UCE, USE (sharp)**

(NOTE.—*The vowel is pronounced as a diphthong in List I, and as a single vowel in List II, but the words in either list rhyme with those in the other.*)

**I (diphthong)**

deuce	deduce	obduce	traduce
luce	diffuse	obtuse	introduce
puce	disuse (noun)	produce	reproduce
use (noun)	educe	profuse	hypotenuse
abduce	excuse	reduce	superinduce
abuse	induce	seduce	
conduce	misuse	subduce	

**II (single vowel)**

goose	moose	spruce	occlude
juice	noose	truce	recluse
loose	sluice	abstruse	unloose

**OOSE (flat), OOZE, USE (flat)**

(NOTE.—*The vowel is pronounced as a diphthong in List I, and as a single vowel in List II, but the words in either list rhyme with those in the other.*)

**I (diphthong)**

cues	thews	effuse	renews
dews	use	endues	reviews
dues	views	ensues	subdues
ewes	yews	enthuse	suffuse
fuse	abuse	excuse	transfuse
hews	accuse	imbues	avenues
hues	adieus	infuse	barbecues
mews	amuse	intuse	circumfuse
muse	bedews	mildews	disabuse
news	bemuse	misuse	impromptus
pews	confuse	perfuse	interviews
spues	contuse	purlieus	residues
stews	diffuse	pursues	retinues
sues	disuse	refuse	revenues

**II (single vowel)**

blues	clues	lose	shoes
booze	coos	moos	shoos
brews	coups	ooze	shrews
bruise	flues	rues	strews
chews	glues	ruse	trews
choose	jews	screws	twos

**OOSE (*flat*), Ooze, USE (*flat*)—continued**

	II ( <i>single vowel</i> )—continued		
whose	bestrews	peruse	billets-doux
who's	canoes	shampoos	cockatoos
woos	cuckoos	taboos	kangaroos
accrues	imbrues	tattoos	
bamboos	eschews	unglues	
beshrews	balloos	yahoos	

**OOST. USED (sharp)**

	I ( <i>diphthong</i> )		
use'd	induced	seduced	reproduced
conduced	obduced	subduced	superinduced
deduced	produced	traduced	
educed	reduced	introduced	
	II ( <i>single vowel</i> )		
boost	loosed	roost	unloosed

### Oot (*short*)

**foot**                    **put**                    **soot**

### Oot (*long*), Urt, Ute

(Note.—The vowel is pronounced as a diphthong in List I, and as a single vowel in List II, but the words in either list rhyme with those in the other.)

## I (diphthong)

cute	confute	repute	dissolute
lute	depute	salute	disrepute
mute	dilute	transmute	execute
newt	dispute	volute	institute
suit	impute	absolute	persecute
acute	minute (adj.)	attribute	prosecute
arbute	permute	comminate	prostitute
argute	pollute	constitute	resolute
commute	pursuit	contribute	substitute
compute	refute	destitute	Irresolute

## II (single vowel)

boot	hoot	shoot	uproot
bruit	jute	adjute	overshoot
brute	loot	cheroot	parachute
coot	moot	outroot	waterchute
flute	root	recruit	
fruit	route	unroot	

OOTH ( <i>sharp</i> ), UTH			
ruth	tooth	youth	uncouth
sooth	truth	forsooth	untruth
OOTH ( <i>flat</i> ), OOTHE			
booth		smooth	soothe
OOVE, OVE			
move	you've	disprove	reprove
groove	approve	improve	disapprove
prove	behoove	remove	
OOZE ( <i>see</i> OOZE, soft)			
OP			
chop	hop	shop	atop
cop	lop	slop	bedrop
crop	mop	sop	co-op
drop	plop	stop	aftercrop
flop	pop	strop	overtop
fop	prop	top	underprop
OPE			
cope	scope	baroscope	telescope
dope	slope	bioscope	thermoscope
groe	soap	envelope	anemoscope
hope	tope	horoscope	helioscope
lope	trope	hygroscope	hellotrope
mope	aslope	interlope	kaleidoscope
ope	elope	microscope	polemoscope
pope	antelope	misanthrope	
rope	antipope	polyscope	
OR ( <i>see also</i> , for passable rhymes, OAR)			
drawer	bachelor	minotaur	conspirator
for	chancellor	mortgagor	contributor
lor	conqueror	orator	excelsior
nor	corridor	reservoir	executor
or	creditor	sariou	expositor
tor	counsellor	senator	exterior
war	councillor	senior	inferior
abhor	editor	seignior	inheritor
devoir	emperor	servitor	Inquisitor
lessor	escritoir	warrior	interior
memoir	governor	ambassador	posterior
señor	junior	anterior	progenitor
vendor	louis d'or	apparitor	solicitor
ancestor	metaphor	competitor	superior
auditor	meteor	compositor	vice-chan-
			cello-

**ORCE, OARSE, OURSE**

coarse	source	enforce	intercourse
course	concourse	performe	reinforce
force	discourse	recourse	
hoarse	divorce	resource	

**ORCH (long)**porch (*no rhyme*)**ORCH (short)**

scorch      torch

**ORD (long) (see OARD)****ORD (short)**

chord	sward	concord	monochord
cord	ward	discord	pentachord
ford	warred	record	perigord
horde	abhorred	reward	
lord	accord	clavichord	
ord	afford	harpsichord	

**ORE (see OAR)****OBGE**

forge	disgorge	regorge
gorge	engorge	overgorge

**ORK (short), see also ALK for passable rhymes**

cork	fork	ork	stork
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**ORK (long)**pork (*no rhyme*)**ORLD (see URLED)****ORM**

form	deform	chloroform	thunderstorm
storm	inform	cruciform	uniform
swarm	perform	cuneiform	vermiform
warm	reform	misinform	iodoform
conform	transform	multiform	

**ORN, ORNE**

born	scorn	worn	barley-corn
borne	shorn	adorn	capricorn
corn	sorn	forborne	heaven-born
horn	sworn	forsworn	overborne
lorn	thorn	forlorn	peppercorn
morn	torn	lovelorn	unicorn
norn	warn	tuborn	

## ORP

dorp

thorp

warp

## ORSE

corse

gorse

horse

morse

torse

endorse

remorse

unhorse

## ORT (short)

fort

mort

short

snort

sort

tort

wart

assort

cohort

consort

contort

distort

escort

exhort

extort

resort

retort

## ORT (long). ORTE, OURT

court

port

porte

sport

comport

deport

disport

export

import

rapport

report

support

transport

misreport

## ORTH (short)

north

swarth

## ORTH (long)

forth

fourth

henceforth

thenceforth

(No perfect rhyme)

## Os (see Oss)

## OSS (sharp)

close (adj.)

dose

gross

engross

jocose

morose

verbose

bellicose

comatose

## OSS (flat), OZE, Ows, etc

beaus

goes

sews

woes

bows

grows

shews

arose

blows

hoes

shows

banjos

chose

hose

sloes

bestows

close

knows

slows

bureaus

clothes

lows

snows

compose

crows

mows

sows

depone

doze

nose

stows

depots

does (pl. of doe) owes

pose

strows

disclose

flocs

pose

those

dispose

flows

pose

throes

enclose

foes

pose

throws

expose

froze

roes

toes

foreclose

glows

rose

tows

foregoes

glose

rows

trows

foreknows

OSE (*flat*), OZE, Ows, etc.—*continued*

foreshows	buffaloes	overgrows	incognitos
heigh-hos	calicoes	overthrows	intaglios
impose	cameos	predispose	magnificos
oppose	discompose	presuppose	mustachios
outgoes	dominoes	porticoes	punctilios
outgrows	folios	portmanteaux	seraglios
propose	furbelows	quelquechose	braggadocios
repose	indispose	recompose	duodecimos
suppose	interpose	tuberose	internuncios
transpose	nuncios	undergoes	generalissimos
unclose	overflows	imbroglios	

## Os, Oss

boss	gloss	toss	cerebos
cross	joss	across	setebos
doss	loss	emboss	
droes	moss	albatross	

OST (*long*) (*see OAST*)OST (*short*), OSSED

bossed	dossed	lost	pentecost
cost	frost	tossed	exhaust
crossed	glossed	wast	holocaust

## OT, OTTE

blot	quot	yacnt	counterplot
clot	rot	allot	eschalot
cot	scot	begot	gallipot
dot	shot	boycott	herjot
got	slot	cocotte	idiot
grot	sot	forgot	misbegot
hot	spot	garotte	patriot
jot	squat	gavotte	polyglot
knot	swot	aliquot	unbegot
lot	tot	apricot	undershot
not	trot	bergamot	compatriot
plot	what	camelot	
pot	wot	chariot	

## OTCH

blotch	notch	swatch
botch	potch	watch
crotch	scotch	hotch-potch

OTE (*see OAT*)OTH (*long*) (*see OATE*)

**OTH (short)**

broth	froth	wrath
cloth	moth	behemoth

**OTHE (see OATHE)****OU (see Ew and Ow)****OUCH**

couch	pouch	avouch
crouch	slouch	disvouch
ouch	vouch	scaramouch

**OUD, OWED**

bowed	ploughed	allowed	o'ershroud
browed	proud	avowed	disallowed
cloud	shroud	endowed	disendowed
cowed	trowed	enshroud	
crowd	vowed	kow-towed	
loud	aloud	o'ercloud	

**OUGH (see OFF, UFF, Ow, OCK, Ew, O)****OUGHT (see AUGHT)****OUL (see OLE, OWL)****OULD (see OLD and OOD)****OUNCE**

bounce	ounce	announce	renounce
flounce	pounce	denounce	
frounce	trounce	pronounce	

**OUND, OWNED**

bound	hound	compound	redound
browned	mound	confound	renowned
clowned	pound	dumbfound	resound
crowned	round	expound	surround
downed	sound	imbound	unbound
drowned	wound	inbound	unsound
found	abound	outbound	underground
frowned	aground	profound	superabound
gowned	around	propound	
ground	astound	rebound	

**OUNT**

count	amount	recount	
fount	discount	remount	
mount	dismount	surmount	
account	miscount	paramount	

**OUP (see OOP)**

OUR (*see also OOR and OAR*)

bower	glower	shower	embower
cower	hour	sour	endower
dour	lour	tower	empower
dower	our	avower	cauliflower
flour	power	deflower	overpower
flower	scour	devour	

OURN (*see also ORN and EARN*)

bourn	mourn
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OURSE (*see ORCE*)OUS (*see Us*)OUSE (*sharp*)

chouse	house	nous	counting-house
dowse	louse	souse	custom-house
grouse	mouse	charnel-house	

OUSE (*flat*), OWZE

blouse	house (vb.)	touse	espouse
blowze	ploughs	trows	kow-tows
boughs	prows	vows	pow-wows
bows	rouse	allows	unhouse
brows	rows	avows	uprouse
browse	sloughs	bow-wows	disallows
cows	sows	carouse	disendows
fraus	spouse	endows	

## OUT

bout	out	stout	without
clout	pout	tout	roundabout
doubt	rout	trout	sauerkraut
flout	scout	about	thereabout
glout	shout	devout	whereabout
gout	snout	misdoubt	
grout	spout	redoubt	
lout	sprout	throughout	

OUTH (*short*) (*see also OOTH*)

drouth	mouth	south
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OUTH (*flat*)

*mouth (verb) (no rhyme)*

OVE (*as in prove*) (*see OOVE*)OVE (*short*)

dove	love	above
glove	shove	turtledove

## OVB (long)

clove	hove	throve	behave
cove	rove	trove	interwove
drove	stove	wove	treasure-
grove	stroved	alcove	trove

## Ow (as O) (see O)

## Ow (diphthong)

bough	plough	vow	pow-wow
bow	prow	allow	somehow
brow	row	avow	disallow
cow	slough	bow-wow	disendow
frau	sow	endow	
how	thou	enow	
now	trow	kow-tow	

## OWL (see also OAL)

cowl	ghoul	owl	befoul
foul	growl	prowl	
fowl	howl	scowl	

## OWN (see also OAN)

brown	frown	embrown
clown	gown	renoun
crown	noun	upside-down
down	town	
drown	adown	

## OWSE (see OUSE, flat)

## Ox, Ocks

blocks	frocks	pocks	equinox
box	hocks	pox	hollyhocks
brocks	houghs	rocks	laughing-
clocks	knocks	shocks	stocks
cocks	lochs	smocks	orthodox
cox	locks	socks	paradox
crock	loughs	stocks	stumbling-
docks	mocks	paillocks	blocks
flocks	ox	nibrochs	weathercocks
fox	phlox	unfrocks	heterodox

## Oy

boy	troy	employ	overjoy
buoy	alloy	enjoy	pomeroy
cloy	annoy	envoy	saveloy
coy	convoy	savoy	
joy	decoy	sepoy	
toy	destroy	misemploy	

**OZE** (*see OSE, flat*)**U** (*see Ew*)**Ub**

blub	drub	scrub	sub
bub	dub	shrub	tub
chub	grub	slub	<i>hubhub</i>
club	hub	snub	sillabub
cub	rub	stub	beelzebub

**UBE**

cube	tube	jujube
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**UCE** (*see OOSE, hard*)**UCH, UTCN**

clutch	much	slutch	inasmuch
crutch	mutch	touch	insomuch
hutch	such	retouch	overmuch

**UCK**

buck	luck	ruck	tuck
chuck	muck	struck	thunder-
cluck	pluck	suck	struck
duck	puck	truck	

**UCT**

bucked	plucked	conduct	misconduct
chucked	rucked	deduct	(verb)
clucked	sucked	induct	usufruct
ducked	trucked	instruct	viaduct
duct	tucked	obstruct	
mucked	abduct	aqueduct	

**Up**

blood	flood	scud	thud
bud	mud	spud	bestud
cud	rud	stud	

**UDE** (*see OOD, long*)**UDGE**

budge	judge	trudge	prejudge
drudge	nudge	adjudge	rejudge
fudge	sludge	forejudge	
grudge	smudge	misjudge	

**UE** (*see Ew*)**UFF**

bluff	chuff	gruff	muff
buff	clough	huff	puff
chough	cuff	luff	rough

**UFF—continued**

ruff	snuff	tough	blindman's
scruff	sough	enough	buff
slough	stuff	rebuff	counterbuff

**UG**

bug	lug	shrug	thug
drug	mug	slug	tug
dug	pug	smug	humbug
hug	plug	snug	
jug	rug	sug	

UICH (*see* OOSE, sharp)UISE (*see* OOSE, flat)UIT (*see* OOT, long)**UKE**

duke	puke	archduke	peruke
fluke	stuke	chibouque	rebuke

**UL, ULL (as in bull)**

bull	brim-full	dutiful	powerful
full	shock-full	fanciful	sorrowful
pull	beautiful	merciful	wonderful
wool	bountiful	plentiful	worshipful

**UL, ULL (as in cull)**

cull	lull	skull	numskull
dull	mull	trull	disannul
gull	null	annul	
bull	scull	bulbul	

ULE (*see* OOL)**ULGE**

bulge	emulge	promulge
divulge	indulge	

**ULK**

bulk	hulk	skulk	sulk
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**ULP**

gulp	pulp	sculp	insculp
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**ULSE**

ulse	convulse	impulse	repulse
pulse	expulse	insulse	

**ULT**

cult	exult	result
adult	insult	catapult
consult	occult	difficult

## Um

chum	swum	minimum	exordium
come	thrum	misbecome	gymnasium
crumb	thumb	modicum	millennium
drum	tum	odium	opprobrium
dumb	become	opium	palladium
glum	benumb	overcome	petroleum
grum	humdrum	pendulum	residuum
gum	succumb	premium	sensorium
hum	burdensome	quarrelsome	solatium
mum	cranium	speculum	symposium
mumm	cumbersome	troublesome	auditorium
numb	fee-fo-fum	tympanum	crematorium
plum	frolicsome	wearisome	equilibrium
plumb	humoursome	adventure-	pandemo-
rum	kettledrum	some	nium
scum	laudanum	compendium	pericranium
slum	mascimum	delirium	sanatorium
some	meddlesome	effluvium	epithalamium
strum	medium	emporium	
sum	mettlesome	encomium	

## UME (see Oom)

## UMP

bump	frump	plump	thump
chump	hump	pump	trump
clump	jump	rump	
crump	lump	slump	
dump	mump	stump	

## UN

bun	ton	champion	morion
done	tun	cinnamon	mullion
dun	won	clarion	myrmidon
fun	begun	decagon (etc.)	octagon
gun	forerun	everyone	onion
none	outrun	fanfaron	orison
nun	undone	gabion	orthogon
one	amazon	ganglion	overdone
pun	anyone	garrison	overrun
run	bastion	halcyon	paragon
shun	benison	heptagon	pentagon
son	billion	hexagon	pillion
spun	bullion	lexicon	pinion
stun	campion	million	polygon
sun	carrion	minion	question

**UN—continued**

scorpion	venison	criterion	phenomenon
scullion	aphelion	decurion	postillion
simpleton	automaton	digestion	quaternion
singleton	battalion	disunion	rapscallion
skeleton	parison	dodecagon	rebellion
snapdragon	centurion	dominion	reunion
stallion	chameleon	euroclydon	suggestion
tarragon	combustion	exhaustion	vermillion
ternion	communion	medallion	indigestion
trillion	companion	oblivion	perihelion
unison	comparison	opinion	tatterdemal-
union	congestion	pavilion	lion

*See also words of three syllables and over ending in AN and EN with accent on antepenultimate.*

**UNCE**

dunce	once	unce
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**UNCH**

brunch	crunch	lunch	punch
bunch	hunch	munch	scrunch

**UND**

bund	fecund	gabioned	verecund
dunned	jocund	garrisoned	parisoned
fund	refund	moribund	companioned
punned	rotund	mullioned	opinioned
shunned	bastioned	pinioned	postillioned
stunned	benisoned	questioned	
sunned	championed	rubicund	

**UNE (see OON)****UNG**

bung	rung	sung	among
clung	slung	swung	unsung
dung	sprung	tongue	
flung	strung	wrong	
hung	stung	young	

**UNGE**

lunge	sponge	expunge
plunge	spunge	

**UNK**

bunk	junk	skunk	trunk
chunk	monk	slunk	quidnunc
drunk	plunk	spunk	
funk	punk	stunk	
hunk	shrunk	sunk	

## UNT

bunt	grunt	runt	affront
blunt	hunt	shunt	confront
brunt	lunt	sprunt	
front	punt	stunt	

## UP

cup		sup	
pup		tup	up

UPE (*see OOP*)

## UPT

cupped	supped	corrupt	
pinned	abrupt	incorrupt	interrupt

UR (*see ER*)URB (*see ERB*)URCH (*see EARCH*)URD (*see EARD*)URE (*see OOR*)URF (*see ERF*)URGE (*see ERGE*)URK (*see ERK*)URL (*see EARL*)

## URLED, ORLD, IRLED, EARLED

curled	pearled	whirled	
turled	purled	world	
hurled	twirled	uncurled	

URN (*see EARN*)

## URP

chirp	discerp	extirp	usurp
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URSE (*see ERCE*)URST (*see IRST*)URT (*see ERT*)URVE (*see ERVE*)

## Us, Uss, Ous

bus	nonplus	bilious	chivalrous
fuss	amorous	blasphemous	clamorous
plus	aqueous	blunderbuss	congruous
pus	arduous	boisterous	copious
thus	arquebus	bounteous	courteous
truss	barbarous	calculous	crapulous
us	beauteous	cautelous	credulous
discuss	bibulous	caverous	curious

## Us., Uss., Ous.—continued

dangerous	nebulous	spurious	censorious
devious	nucleus	stimulus	chrysoprasus
dexterous	numerous	strenuous	commodious
dolorous	obvious	studious	conspicuous
dubious	odious	succubus	contemptu-
duteous	odorous	sulphurous	ous
emulous	ominous	sumptuous	conterminous
envious	omnibus	syllabus	contiguous
exodus	onerous	synchronous	continuous
fabulous	overplus	tartarus	courageous
fatuous	pendulous	tedious	cretaceous
frivolous	perilous	thunderous	deciduous
furious	pervious	timorous	delirious
garrulous	phosphorus	tortuous	diaphanous
genius	phosphorous	traitorous	discourteous
generous	piteous	treacherous	erroneous
globulous	plenteous	treasonous	exiguous
glorious	poisonous	tremulous	extraneous
glutinous	polypus	tyrannous	fastidious
gluttonous	ponderous	unctuous	felicitous
gorgeous	populous	vacuous	felonious
hazardous	posthumous	valorous	ferruginous
hideous	previous	various	fortuitous
humorous	prosperous	venomous	fuliginous
igneous	querulous	vigorous	gelatinous
impetus	radius	villainous	gratuitous
impious	rancorous	virtuous	gregarious
incubus	ravenous	abstemious	harmonious
infamous	resinous	acephalous	herbaceous
jeopardous	rigorous	adventurous	hilarious
languorous	riotous	adulterous	homologous
lecherous	ruinous	ambiguous	idolatrous
libellous	scandalous	amphibious	illustrious
ligneous	scrofulous	analogous	impetuous
ludicrous	scrupulous	androgynous	imperious
luminous	scrutinous	anomalous	impervious
marvellous	scurrilous	anonymous	imponderous
membranous	sedulous	asparagus	incestuos
mischievous	sensuous	assiduous	incongruous
mountainous	serious	cadaverous	incredulous
murderous	sinuous	calamitous	incurious
mutinous	sirius	calcareous	indigenous
nauseous	slanderous	cantankerous	indubious
nautilus	sonorous	carnivorous.	industriou-

etc.

Us, Uss, Ous—*continued*

ingenious	opprobrious	umbrageous	meritorious
ingenuous	outrageous	unanimous	metalliferous,
inglorious	penurious	ungenerous	etc.
iniquitous	perfidious	usurious	
injurious	perspicuous	uxorious	miscellaneous
Innocuous	pestiferous	vainglorious	mucilaginous
inodorous	precarious	vicarious	multifarious
insidious	precipitous	victorious	multitudinous
invidious	predaceous	vociferous	odoriferous
laborious	preposterous	voluminous	oleaginous
lascivious	presumptuous	voluptuous	pachydermatous
leguminous		acrimonious	
leviticus	promiscuous	advantageous	parsimonious
libidinous	punctilious	atrabilious	pusillanimous
litigious	ranunculus	ceremonious	sanctimonious
lugubrious	rebellious	contumelious	ous
luxurious	ridiculous	deleterious	saponaceous
magnanimous	salacious	disingenuous	simultaneous
mellifluous	salubrious	farinaceous	subterraneous
melodious	sarcophagus	graminivorous	supercilious
miraculous	setaceous		temerarious
multivious	solicitous	hippopotamus	contemporaneous
mysterious	sonniferous	homogeneous	ravenous
necessitous	spontaneous	hydrocephalus	disadvantageous
nefarious	sulphurous	ignis fatuus	ous
notorious	superfluous	ignominious	heterogeneous
oblivious	synonymous	impecunious	ous
obsequious	tempestuous	instantaneous	
obstreporous	tenebrious		
cesophagus	tumultuous		
omnivorous	ubiquitous		

Uss (*as in puss*)

puss

à-la-Russe

Use (*short*) (*see OOSE, short*)Use (*flat*) (*see OOSE, flat*)Ush (*as in bush*)

bush

push

ambush

Ush (*as in blush*)

blush

flush

lush

slush

brush

gush

plush

thrush

crush

hush

rush

tush

<b>U</b> sk		<b>husk</b>	<b>musk</b>	<b>tusk</b>
busk		lusk	rusk	
dusk				
<b>U</b> ST				
bust		lust	adjust	incrust
crust		must	august (adj.)	mistrust
dust		rust	discussed	nonplussed
fussed		thrust	disgust	robust
gust		trussed	distrust	unjust
just		trust	entrust	blunderbussed

**U**T, **U**TT

but	jut	smut	englut
butt	nut	strut	rebut
crut	putt	stut	cocoanut, etc.
cut	rut	tut	halibut
glut	scut	abut	occiput
gut	shut	gamut	waterbutt,
hut	slut	catgut	etc.

*For rhymes to put, see OOT (as in foot)*

**U**TCII (*see UCH*)

**U**TE (*see OOT*)

**U**TH (*see OOTH*)

**U**X, **U**CKS

bucks	dux	rucks	efflux
chucks	flux	sucks	influx
clucks	lux	trucks	reflux
crux	mucks	tucks	superflux
ducks	plucks	conflux	

**Y (long), ICH**

aye ( <i>yes</i> )	high	spy	belie
buy	lie	sty	comply
by	my	thigh	decry
cry	nigh	thy	defy
die	die	tie	deny
dry	ply	try	descry
dye	dry	vie	espy
eye	rye	why	foreby
fle	sky	wry	go-by
fry	sigh	ally	good-bye
guy	sky	apply	hereby
hie	sly	awry	imply

**Y (long). IGH—continued**

outcry	dulcify	nullify	stupefy
outfly	edify	occupy	tabefy
outvie	falsify	ossify	terrify
rely	fortify	pacify	testify
reply	frenchify	petrify	typify
supply	fructify	prophesy	verify
thereby	glorify	purify	versify
untie	gratify	putrefy	vilify
whereby	horrify	qualify	vivify
alkali	justify	ramify	beatify
amplify	labefy	rarefy	disqualify
beautify	lenify	ratify	diversify
brutify	liquefy	rectify	exemplify
by-and-by	lullaby	rubefy	fecundify
candify	magnify	sanctify	harmonify
certify	modify	satisfy	indemnify
clarify	mollify	scarify	intensify
crucify	mortify	signify	personify
deify	multiply	simplify	preoccupy
dignify	notify	specify	solidify

**Y (short)**

(NOTE.—There are several thousand words ending in Y short, with the accent on the antepenultimate. As these are not good rhymes either to one another or to words with any other ending, no list is given here. They are, however, freely used by all poets as rhymes to words ending in E, long, EA and EE.)

**YED** (see IDE)

**YLE** (see ILE)

**YLED** (see ILD, long).

**YM** (see IM)

**YME** (see IME)

**YMPH**

lymph	nymph
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**YNX** (see INX)

**YP** (see IP)

**YPE** (see IPE)

**YPH** (see IF)

**YPSE** (see IPSE)

- YRE (*see IRE*)  
YSM (*see ISM*)  
YSS (*see IS*)  
YST (*see IST*)  
YCH (*seeITCH*)  
YTH (*see ITH*)  
YTRE (*see ITRE*)  
YVE (*see IVE*)  
YX (*see LX*)

DOUBLE  
OR  
TWO-SYLLABLE RHYMES

<b>A BARD, ABBARD, ABBERED</b>		
scabbard	tabard	Jabbered
<b>ABBER</b>		
blabber	jabber	stabber
drabber	slabber	
<b>ABBET, ABBIT, ABIT</b>		
habit	rabbit	Inhabit
rabbet	cohabit	
<b>ABBLE</b>		
babble	gabble	scrabble
dabble	rabble	bedabble
<i>For rhymes to squabble see OBBLE</i>		

**ABBLER** (*see ABBLE*)

<b>ABBOT</b>		
	abbot	sabot
<b>ABBEY, ABBY</b>		
abbey	crabby	scabby
cabby	flabby	shabby
<b>ABEL</b> ( <i>see ABLE</i> )		
<b>ABLD</b>		
	rabid	tabid

<b>ABIAN, ABION</b>		
fabian	gablon	arabian
<b>ABIES</b>		
babies	gables	tables

**ABLE, ABEL**

able	gabel	stable	unable
babel	gable	table	unstable
cable	label	disable	
fable	sable	enable	

**ABLISH, ABBLISH**

babblish	rabblish	establish	disestablish
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**ABOR, ABOUR, ABRE**

labour		sabre	
neighbour		tabor	belabour

**ABY**

baby	gaby	maybe
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**ACCY (see ACKEY)****ACELESS (see ACE)****ACELY (see ASELY)****ACEMENT (see ASEMENT)****ACENT**

adjacent	complaisant	circumjacent
complacent	subjacent	interjacent

**ACEOUS, ASEOUS, ATIOUS**

caseous	fallacious	rapacious	contumacious
gaseous	herbaceous	sagacious	disputatious
gracious	linguacious	salacious	efficacious
spacious	loquacious	sequacious	farinaceous
audacious	mendacious	setaceous	incapacious
bibacious	minacious	tenacious	ostentatious
bulbaceous	mordacious	ungracious	perspicacious
capacious	palacious	veracious	pertinacious
cetaceous	predaceous	vexatious	pervicacious
cretaceous	procacious	vivacious	saponaceous
edacious	pugnacious	voracious	

**ACER (see ACE)****ACET (see ASSET)****ACHMENT, ATCHMENT**

hatchment	patchment	attachment	detachment
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**ACIC (see ASSIC)****ACID**

acid	placid
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**ACIOUS (see ACEOUS)**

<b>A CIA, ASIA</b>	basis	glacis	
<b>ACIT (see ASSET)</b>			
<b>ACKEN</b>	blacken	bracken	slacken
<b>ACKER, ACQUER</b>	clacker	knacker	packer
	cracker	lacquer	slacker, etc. (see ACK)
<b>ACKET</b>			
bracket	jacket	placket	racket
<b>ACKEY, ACKY, ACCY</b>	baccy	lackey	tacky
<b>ACKISH</b>			
blackish	brackish	quackish	slackish
<b>ACKLE</b>			
cackle		hackle	shackle
crackle		quackle	tackle
<b>ACKLER (see ACKLE)</b>			
<b>ACKLESS (see ACK)</b>			
<b>ACKLING (see ACKLE)</b>			
<b>ACKLY</b>			
blackly	cackly	crackly	slackly
<b>ACKNEY, ACNE</b>			
	acne	hackney	
<b>ACKY (see ACKEY)</b>			
<b>ACNE (see ACKNEY)</b>			
<b>ACON (see AKEN)</b>			
<b>ACRE (see AKER)</b>			
<b>ACTER, ACTOR</b>			
actor	climacter	enacter	protracter
factor	contractor	exacter	benefactor
attractor	detractor	extractor	malefactor
<b>ACTIC</b>			
tactic		didactic	prophylactic
<b>ACTICS (see ACTIC)</b>			
<b>ACTILE</b>			
	tactile	tractile	

**ACTION**

action	contaction	reaction	liquefaction
faction	contraction	refraction	malefaction
fraction	detraction	retraction	petrifaction
paction	distraction	subaction	putrefaction
taction	exaction	subtraction	rarefaction
traction	extraction	transaction	retroaction
abstraction	inaction	arefaction	satisfaction
attraction	infraction	benefaction	stupefaction
co-action	protraction	calefaction	dissatisfaction

**ACTISED, ACTIST, ACTEST**

actest	exactist	practised, etc. (see ACT)
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**ACTIVE**

active	inactive	calefactive	retroactive
abstractive	protractive	petrifactive	stupefactive
attractive	refractive	putrefactive	

**ACTLESS (see ACT)****ACTLY**

abstractly	compactly	exactly
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**ACTOR (see ACTER)****ACTRESS**

actress	benefactress	malefactress
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**ACTURE**

fracture	compacture	manufacture
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**ACY**

lacy	racy	spacy
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**ADAM**

madam	macadam
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**ADDEN**

bad'un	gladden	madden	sadden
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**ADDER**

adder	gadder	ladder	sadder
bladder	giadder	madder	

**ADDING, ODDING**

wadding	nodding, etc. (see OD)
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**ADDLE**

addle	paddle	spaddle	skedaddle
faddle	saddle	straddie	

**ADDLER (see ADDLE)**

**ADDOCK**

haddock      paddock

**ADDY**caddy                    faddy                    paddy  
daddy                    laddy**ADELESS (see ADE)****ADENCE, AIDANCE**

aidance                cadence

**ADENT (see AIDANT)****ADER (see ADIR)****ADGER**

badger      cadger      padger      spadger

**ADIANT, ADIENT**

gradient                radiant

**ADING**

fading                lading, etc. (see ADE)

**ADIR**

nadir                trader                invader, etc. (see ADE)

**ADISH, ADDISH**

radish      baddish      caddish, etc. (see AD)

**ADLE**

cradle                ladle                stadle

**ADLY, ADDLY**badly                madly                straddly  
gladly                sadly**ADNESS (see AD)****ADO**

(NOTE.—*Most of these words may be pronounced with the English or the Italian A, except dado, in which the A is English, and bravado, in which it is Italian.*)

dado	passado	tornado	camisado
bravado	scalado	ambuscado	carbonado
crusado	stoccado	barricado	
gambado	strappado	bastinado	

**ADOW**

cadieu                shadow

**ADY, ADI**

cadil                lady                maidie                shady

**ADRIE (see AIRY)**

**AFFÉ** (*see AFFY*)**AFER**

safer

wafer

cockchafer

**AFFER, AFFIR**

chaffer

gaffer

kaffir

**AFFIC, AFFICK, APHIC**

graphic

seraphic

pornographic

maffick

phonographic

telegraphic

traffic

photographic

cinematographic

**AFFLE**

baffle

raffle

snaffle

**AFFLESS** (*see AFF*)**AFFLED, AFFOLD**

baffled

raffled

scaffold

snaffled

**AFFY**

baffy

chaffy

taffy

café

druffy

**AFTER**

after

laughter

hereafter

dafter

rafter

ingrafter

grafter

wafter

thereafter

**AFTY**

crafty

draughty

grafty

**AGATE, AGGOT**

agate

faggot

maggot

**AGELESS** (*see AGE*)**AGELY**

pagely

sagely

stagely

**AGEMENT**

engagement assuagement

**AGEOUS, AGIOUS**

contagious	outrageous	advantageous	<i>ages</i>
courageous	umbrageous	disadvantageous,	<i>etc.</i>

(*see AGE*)

**AGER** (*see AJOR*)**AGGARD, AGGERED**

haggard laggard

staggered

swaggred

**AGGER**

bragger

lagger

swagger

dagger

stagger

wagger, etc. (*see AG*)

**AGGISH**

naggish

staggish

waggish

**AGGLE**

dabble

haggle

bedabble

draggle

straggle

bedraggle

gaggle

waggle

**AGGOT (see AGATE)****AGGY**

baggy

knaggy

scraggy

swaggy

craggy

quaggy

shaggy

jaggy

raggy

snaggy

**AGIO**

magic

tragic

**AGILE**

agile

fragile

**AGLESS (see AG)****AGO**

sago

farrago

lumbago

virago

**AGON**

dragon

flagon

wagon

**AGRANT**

flagrant

fragrant

vagrant

**AIETY, AITY**

gaiety

laity

**AIC**

mosaic

prosalc

algebraic

**AIDANT**

aidant

cadent

**AILER, AOLER**

gaoler

nailer

tailor

jailer

sailor

etc. (see AIL)

**AILIFF (see ALIPH)****AILING, AYLING**

ailing

paling

wailing

unavailing

grayling

strayling

prevailing

etc. (see AIL)

**AILMENT**

ailment

availment

**AILY, AILLY (see ALY)****AIGHTEN (see ATAN)**

<b>AIMANT, AMANT, AIMENT, AYMENT</b>			
claimant	payment		defrayment
clamant	raiment		displayment
<b>AIMLESS (see AIM)</b>			
<b>AINDER</b>			
	attainder	remainder	
<b>AINFUL, ANEFUL</b>			
baneful	gainful	painful	disdainful
<b>AINING</b>			
	raining	entertaining, etc. (see AIN)	
<b>AINLESS (see AIN)</b>			
<b>AINLY (see ANELY)</b>			
<b>AINTER</b>			
	painter	quainter, etc. (see AINT)	
<b>AINTING (see AINT)</b>			
<b>AINTLESS (see AINT)</b>			
<b>AINTLING</b>			
	faintling	saintling	
<b>AINTY</b>			
	faintly	quaintly	saintly
<b>AINTY</b>			
	dainty	fainty	feinty
<b>AINY (see ANY, long)</b>			
<b>AIRY, ARY</b>			
airy	eyrie	snary	canary
charry	fairy	vary	
dairy	hairy	wary	
<b>AISANCE</b>			
	complacence	complaisance	obelsance
<b>AISANT (see ACENT)</b>			
<b>AISER (see AZER)</b>			
<b>AISIN (see AZEN)</b>			
<b>AISY (see AZY)</b>			
<b>AITER (see ATOR)</b>			
<b>AITEN (see ATAN)</b>			
<b>AITHFUL</b>			
	faithful	scathful	
<b>AITIFF (see ATIVE)</b>			

<b>AITRESS</b>			
creatress		traltress	waitress
<b>AITTY (see AITY)</b>			
<b>AJOR, AGER</b>			
ager	major	sager	wager
gauger	pager	stager	etc. (see AGE)
<b>AKELESS, AKE</b>			
<b>AKEN, ACON</b>			
bacon	taken	awaken	mistaken
shaken	waken	forsaken	undertaken
<b>AKER</b>			
acre	quaker	wiseacre	sabbath-
acher	raker	mischief-	breaker, etc.
breaker	saker	maker, etc.	undertaker, etc.
fakir	taker	promise-breaker	(see AKE)
maker			
<b>AKING</b>			
making	painstaking	undertaking, etc.	(see AKE)
<b>AKY</b>			
achy		flaky	snaky
braky		shaky	
<b>ALACE, ALLOUS</b>			
	callous	palace	
<b>ALAD, ALLAD</b>			
	ballad	salad	
<b>ALANCE</b>			
	balance	valance	
<b>ALATE, ALLOT</b>			
ballot	palate	palette	shallot
<b>ALCULE</b>			
	calcule	animalcule	
<b>ALDER</b>			
alder		balder	scalder
<b>ALELY (see ALY)</b>			
<b>ALENT (see ALLANT)</b>			
<b>ALET, ALLET</b>			
mallet		pallet	valet
<b>ALETTE (see ALATE)</b>			
<b>ALIAN, ALIEN, ALION</b>			
alien		westphalian	sesquipedalian
australian		bacchanalian	tatterdemalion

## ALICE

chalice      malice

## ALID, ALLID, ALLIED

calid      rallied      tallied      invalid  
pallid      sallied      validALIEN (*see ALIAN*)ALION (*short*), ALLEON, ALLIONgalleon      stallion      medallion  
scallion      battalion      rapscallionALION (*long*) (*see ALIAN*)

## ALIPH, AILIFF

ballif      caliph

## ALKER, AWKER

hawker      corker, etc. (*see ALK*)ALKY (*see ALK and ORK*)

## ALLANT, ALENT

gallant      talent      top-gallant      circumvallant

ALLET (*see ALET*)

## ALLEY, ALLY, ALET

alley      chalet      rally      valet  
ballet      dally      sally      valley  
bally      galley      tally      shilly-shally

## ALLIC

phallic      medallic      metallic

## ALLING, AULING, AWLING

bawling      calling      tarpauling, etc. (*see ALL*)ALLION (*see ALION, short*)ALLON (*see ALON*)ALLOP (*see ALOP*)ALLOR (*see ALOUR*)

## ALLOW, ALOE

aloe      hallo!      sallow      linaloe  
callow      hallow      shallow  
fallow      mallow      tallow

## ALLOWS

*Adds to above, also gallows*ALLY (*short*) (*see ALLEY*)ALLY (*long*)

smally      squally

<b>ALMENT</b>	Instalment	Inthralment	
<b>ALMEST, ALMIST</b>			
calmest	palmist	psalmist, etc. (see ALM)	
<b>ALMON (see AMMON)</b>			
<b>ALMY (see ARMY)</b>			
<b>ALOE (see ALLOW)</b>			
<b>ALON, ALLON</b>			
ballon	gallon	talon	
<b>ALOP, ALLOP</b>			
gallop	scallop	shallop	escalop
<b>ALOUR, ALLOR</b>			
	pallor	valour	
<b>ALSAM</b>	balsam	brawlsome	
<b>ALTAR, ALTER, AULTER</b>			
altar	halter	salter	defaulter
alter	palter	vaulter	drysalter
falter	psalter	assaulter	
<b>ALTRY</b>			
paltry	psallery	drysallery	
<b>ALTY (see AULTY)</b>			
<b>ALY, AILY, ALELY</b>			
bailie	gaily	scaly	taily
baily	grely	shaly	traily
daily	mally	snaily	vale (latin)
<i>traily</i>	<i>palely</i>	<i>stately</i>	waly !
<b>AMA (see also ARMER)</b>			
drama	llama	melodrama	
karma	lama		
<b>AMANT (see AIMANT)</b>			
<b>AMBEAU (see AMBO)</b>			
<b>AMBER</b>			
amber	clamber	timbre	
camber	tambour		
<b>AMBIT</b>			
	ambit	gambit	

**AMBLE, AMBOL**

amble	gambol	scramble
bramble	ramble	wamble
gamble	scamble	preamble

**AMBLES**

*Add s to above, also shambles*

**AMBO, AMBEAU**

crambo	flambeau	sambo
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**AMBOL (see AMBLE)****AMEFUL**

blameful	shameful
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**AMEL, AMMEL**

camel	trammel	enamel
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**AMELESS (see AIM)****AMELY**

gamely	lamely	namely	tamely
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**AMENESS (see AIM)****AMER (see AIM)****AMFER, AMPHOR**

camphor	chamfer
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**AMINE**

famine	examine	re-examine
gamin	cross-examine	

**AMISH**

famish	hammish	lambish
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**AMLET**

camlet	hamlet	samlet
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**AMMAR, AMMER, AMOUR**

clamour	grammar	stammer	yellow-
crammer	hammer	yammer	hammer
gammer	rainmer	enamour	
glamour	shammer	ninnyhammer	

**AMMOCK**

cammock	hammock	mammock
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**AMMON, ALMON**

gaimmon	mammon	salmon	backgammon
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**AMMY**

clammy	drammie	mammy
damme	hammy	ramie

<b>AMOUR</b> ( <i>see AMMAR</i> )			
<b>AMPAS</b> ( <i>see AMPUS</i> )			
<b>AMPER</b>			
damper	pamper	stamper	
hamper	scamper	tamper, etc. ( <i>see AMP</i> )	
<b>AMPHOR</b> ( <i>see AMFER</i> )			
<b>AMPIAN, AMPION</b>			
campian		champion	grampian
<b>AMPLE</b>			
ample		trample	example
sample		ensample	
<b>AMPLER</b>			
ampler		sampler, etc. <i>see above</i>	
<b>AMPLING</b> ( <i>see AMPLE</i> )			
<b>AMPLY</b>			
amply		damply	tramply
<b>AMPUS, AMFAS</b>			
grampus		pampas	
<b>AMUS, AMOUS</b>			
camus		ramous	mandamus
famous		squamous	ignoramus
<b>AMY</b> ( <i>see AIM</i> )			
<b>ANA</b>			
	banana	sultana	
<b>ANATE, ANET, ANITE</b>			
granite		planet	pomegranate
<b>ANCEL</b>			
	chancel	hansel	
<b>ANCELESS</b> ( <i>see ANCE</i> )			
<b>ANCER, ANSWER</b>			
answer	dancer	romancer	cheiromancer
cancer	lancer	geomancer	necromancer
<b>ANCET, ANSIT</b>			
	lancet	transit	
<b>ANCHION</b> ( <i>see ANSION</i> )			
<b>ANCHOR</b> ( <i>see ANKER</i> )			
<b>ANCHORED</b> ( <i>see ANKARD</i> )			
<b>ANCOUR</b> ( <i>see ANKER</i> )			

**ANCY**

chancy	aeromancy	geomancy	onomancy
fancy	arithmancy	lithomancy	rhabdomancy
mischancy	cheiromancy	necromancy	termagancy, etc.
	hesitancy		

**ANDAL** (*see ANDLE*)**ANDAM, ANDOM, ANDUM**

grandam	random
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memorandum

**ANDANT, ANDENT**

cudent	commandant
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demandant

**ANDATE, ANDIT**

bandit	mandate
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**ANDENT** (*see ANDANT*)**ANDER, ANDOUR**

candour	pander	philander	oleander
dander	slander	pomander	salamander
gander	commander	coriander	etc. ( <i>see AND</i> )
grander	meander	jerrymander	

**ANDERS**

Add s to above, also glanders, sanders

**ANDEUR** (*see ANDIER*)**ANDID**

bandied	brandied	candid	candied
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**ANDIER, ANDEUR**

bandier	grandeur	sandler
candier	handier	unhandier

**ANDING**

landing	notwithstanding, etc. ( <i>see AND</i> )
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**ANDISH**

blandish	brandish	standish	outlandish
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**ANDIT** (*see ANDATE*)**ANDLE, ANDAL**

candle	handle	scandal
dandle	sandal	

**ANDLER**

chandler	dandler	handler	tallow-chandler
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**ANDOM** (*see ANDAM*)**ANDOUR** (*see ANDER*)

**ANDREL**

mandrel hand-drill

**ANDSOME (see ANSOM)****ANDUM (see ANDAM)****ANDY**

bandy	candy	handy	sandy
brandy	dandy	randy	unhandy

**ANEL, ANIL, ANNEL**

anil	channel	panel	empanel
cannel	flannel	scrannel	

**ANEYL, AINLY**

gainly	plainly	vainly	profanely
mainly	sanely	humanely	ungainly

**ANEOUS**

cutaneous	instantaneous	subterraneous
extraneous	miscellaneous	contemporaneous
spontaneous	simultaneous	extemporaneous

**ANER, AINER**

plainer	chicaner	detainer	retainer
stainer	cordwainer	maintainer	paper-stainer etc. (see AIN)

**ANET (see ANATE)****ANGAR (see ANGER, hard g)****ANGELY**

changeiy strangely

**ANGER (hard g), ANGAR, ANGOUR, ANGUOR, ANGUER**  

anger	clangour	hanger	sangar
banger	ganger	languor	haranguer

**ANGER (soft g)**

danger	ranger	endanger
manger	stranger	money-changer

**ANGING (see ANG)****ANGLE**

angle	jangle	tangle	untangle
bangle	mangle	twangle	disentangle
dangle	spangle	wrangle	
fangle	strangle	entangle	

**ANGLED, ANGOLD**

angled	dangled	mangold	new-fangled, etc. (see ANGLE)
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**ANGLER** (*see ANGLE*)

**ANGLESS** (*see ANG*)

**ANGLING** (*see ANGLE*)

**ANGOLD** (*see ANGLED*)

**ANGOUR** (*see ANGER, hard G*)

**ANGUISH**

anguish	languish	
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**ANGOUR** (*see ANGER, hard G*)

**ANGY**

changy	mangy	
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**ANIC, ANNIE**

panic	botanic	satanic	talismanic
tannic	mechanic	diaphanic	
britannic	tyrannic	oceanic	

**ANICS** (*see ANNEXE*)

**ANIL** (*see ANEL*)

**ANION, AÑON**

cañon	companion	
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**ANISH, ANNISH**

banish	mannish	vanish
clannish	planish	evanish

**ANITE** (*see ANATE*)

**ANKARD, ANCHORED, ANKERED**  
anchored cankered hankered tankard

**ANKER, ANCOUR**

anchor	flanker	ranker	
banker	hanker	spanker	
canker	rancour	thanker, etc.	

**ANKLE**

ankle	rankle	
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**ANKLESS** (*see ANK*)

**ANKY**

ankly	crankly	rankly
blankly	frankly	

**ANLESS** (*see AN*)

**ANNA, ANNAH**

manna	havanah	savannan
bandanna	hosannah	

<b>ANNALS</b>			
annals		channels, etc. ( <i>see ANEL</i> )	
<b>ANNER, ANOR</b>			
banner	manor		japanner
manne.	tanner		
<b>ANNEXE</b>			
annexe	panics		mechanics
<b>ANNY</b>			
branny	clanny		manny
cranny	granny		
<b>ANON</b> ( <i>see ANION</i> )			
<b>ANOR</b> ( <i>see ANNEXE</i> )			
<b>ANSION, ANCHION</b>			
panchion	stanchion		expansion
scansion	mansion		
<b>ANSIT</b> ( <i>see ANCET</i> )			
<b>ANSOM, ANDSOME</b>			
handsome	bansom	ransom	transom
<b>ANSWER</b> ( <i>see ANCER</i> )			
<b>ANSY</b>			
	pansy	tansy	
<b>ANTAM, ANTOM, ANTUM</b>			
bantam	phantom	quantum	tantum
<b>ANTE, ANTY</b>			
ante	auntie	janty	shanty
anti	chanty	scanty	andante, etc. ( <i>see ANT</i> )
<b>ANTEL</b> ( <i>see ANTLE</i> )			
<b>ANTER</b>			
banter	grantor		decanter
canter	planter		enchanter
chanter	ranter		almachanter
<b>ANTHER</b>			
	anther	panther	
<b>ANTI</b> ( <i>see ANTE</i> )			
<b>ANTIC</b>			
antic	atlantic	pedantic	sycophantic
frantic	gigantic	romantic	

**ANTINE**

adamantine elephantine

**ANTING (see ANT)****ANTLE**cantle  
hantlemantel  
mantle

dismantle

**ANTLER**

antler

mantler

pantler

dismantler

**ANTLESS (see ANT)****ANTLING**

bantling

mantling

scantling

dismantling

**ANTLY**

scantly

slantly

ignorantly, etc. (see ANT)

**ANTO, ANTEAU**canto  
pantocouranto  
portmanteau

esperanto

**ANTOM (see ANTAM)****ANTRESS**

enchantress

supplantress

covenantress

**ANTRY**

chantry

gantry

pantry

**ANTY (see ANTE)****ANUAL, ANNUAL**

annual

manual

**ANY (short) (see ENNY)****ANY (long), AINY**

brainy

drainy

rainy

veiny

cany

grainy

trainy

zany

**ANZA**

stanza

extravaganza

**APAL (see APLE)****APEL (see APPLE)****APELESS (see APE)****APEN, APON**

capon

misshapen

unshaped

**APER, APIR, APOUR**

caper

paper

tapir

vapour, etc.

draper

taper

scraper

(see APEL)

**APHIC** (*see AFFIC*)**APID**

rapid sapid vapid

**APIR** (*see APER*)**APIST**papist shapest, etc. (*see APE*)**APLE, APAL**

maple papal staple

**APPLESS**hapless, etc. (*see AP*)**APLING, APPLING**chapelling knapping sapling thrapping  
grappling papling scrapling**APNEL**

grapnel shrapnel

**APON** (*see APEN*)**APOUR** (*see APER*)**APPER**clapper rapper wrapper whipper-  
dapper sapper kidnapper snapper  
flapper strapper understrapper**APPET**

lappet tappet

**APPIE** (*see APPY*)**APPING**strapping, etc. (*see AP*)**APPLE, APEL**apple grapple thrapple  
chapel knapple**APPY, APPIE**chapple happy nappy sappy  
flappy mappy pappy unhappy**APSION** (*see OPTION*)**APTER, APTOR**

apter captor chapter adapter

**OPTION**

caption adaptlon collapslon contraption

**APTIST, APTEST**

apttest baptist adapttest anabaptist

**APTOR** (*see APTER*)**APTURE**

capture

rapture

enrapture

**ARAB**

arab

scarab

**ARAGE** (*see ARRIAGE*)**ARASS** (*see ARRAS*)**ARBER, ARBOUR**

arbour

barber

harbour

**ARBLE, ARBEL**

barbel

garble

marble

**ARBLESS** (*see ARB*)**ARBOARD**

larboard

starboard

**ARBOIL**

garboil

parboil

**ARBOUR** (*see ARBER*)**ARCEL, ARSEL**

parcel

tarsel

**ARCHER**

archer

marcher

starcher

*departure, etc.*  
(*see ARCH*)**ARCHLESS** (*see ARCH*)**ARCHLY**

archly

starchly

**ARDEN, ARDON**

garden

pardon

case-harden

harden

bear-garden

**ARDER**

harder

larder, etc. (*see ARD*)**ARDLESS** (*see ARD*)**ARDON** (*see ARDEN*)**ARDY**

hardy

lardy

tardy

**AREL, ARREL**

barrel

apparel

**ARELESS** (*see AIR*)

<b>ARELY, AIRLY</b>			
barely	rarely	warely	debonairly
fairly	squarely	yarely	
<b>AREN'T (see ARRANT)</b>			
<b>ARER (see AIR)</b>			
<b>ARET, ARAT, ARRET, ARROT</b>			
arret	carrot		garret
carat	claret		parrot
<b>ARFLESS (see AFF)</b>			
<b>ARGENT, ERGEANT</b>			
argent	margent		sergeant
<b>ARGER</b>			
charger	larger, etc. (see ARGE)		
<b>ARGLE, ARGOL</b>			
gargle	gargol		argle-bargle
<b>ARGO</b>			
argot	embargo		supercargo
cargo	potargo		largo
<b>ARIAN, ARYAN</b>			
aryan	grammarian	proletarian	veterinarian
agrarian	librarian	abecedarian	valetudin-
barbarian	centenarian	disciplinarian	arian
cesarian	millenarian	predestinarian	
<b>ARIC</b>			
	barbaric	pindaric	
<b>ARID, ARRIED</b>			
arid	harried		parried
carried	married		miscarried
<b>ARING, AIRING</b>			
airing	fairing	paring	sea-faring
bearing	glaring	sparing	way-faring
daring	hair-ring	wearing	etc. (see AIR)
<b>ARION, ARRION</b>			
	clarion	carrion	
<b>ARIOUS</b>			
various	gregarious	precarious	temerarious
bifarious	nefarious	vicarious	
contrarious	ovarious	multifarious	

<b>ARISH</b>			
barish	fairish	rarish	squarish
bearish	garish	sparish	
<b>ARKEN</b>			
	darken	hearken	
<b>ARKER</b> ( <i>see</i> ARK)			
<b>ARKISH</b>	clerkish	darkish	sparkish
<b>ARKLE</b>			
sparkle	monarchal	disembarkal	patriarchal
<b>ARKLESS</b> ( <i>see</i> ARK)			
<b>ARKLING</b>	darkling	sparkling	
<b>ARKLY</b>			
clerkly	parkly		starkly
darkly	sparkly		
<b>ARKY</b>			
barky	larky	sharky	oligarchy
clerk'y	markee	sparky	patriarchy,
heark'ee	parket	hierarchy	etc.
khaki	parky	matriarchy	
<b>ARLER, ARLOUR</b>			
marler	parlour		snarler
<b>ARLESS</b> ( <i>see</i> AR)			
<b>ARLET</b>	scarlet	varlet	
<b>ARLEY, ARLY</b>			
barley	parley		particularly
marly	snarly		etc. ( <i>see</i> AR)
<b>ARLIC</b>	garlic	harlech	
<b>ARLING</b>			
darling	marling		sparling
gnarling	snarling		starling
<b>ARLOUR</b> ( <i>see</i> ARLER)			
<b>ARLY</b> ( <i>see</i> ARL)			
<b>ARMER</b>			
armour	charmer	farmer, etc. ( <i>see</i> ARM)	
<b>ARMING</b>			
charming	farming	alarming, etc. ( <i>see</i> ARM)	

<b>ARMLESS</b> ( <i>see ALM</i> )			
<b>ARMOUR</b> ( <i>see ARMER</i> )			
<b>ARMY</b>			
<b>army</b>	barmy	balmy	palmy
<b>ARNAL, ARNEL</b>			
	carnal	charnel	
<b>ARNER</b>			
	garner	yarner, etc. ( <i>see ARN</i> )	
<b>ARNESS</b>			
	farness	harness	
<b>ARNISH</b>			
	garnish	tarnish	varnish
<b>ARON</b> ( <i>see ARREN</i> )			
<b>ARPER</b> ( <i>see ARP</i> )			
<b>ARRACK</b>			
	arrack	barrack	carrack
<b>ARRANT, ARENT</b>			
	arrant	apparent	transparent
<b>ARRAS, ARRASS, ARASS</b>			
	arras	harass	embarrass
<b>ARREL</b> ( <i>see AREL and ORAL, short</i> )			
<b>ARREN, ARON</b>			
	baron	barren	fanfaron
<b>ARRET</b> ( <i>see ARET</i> )			
<b>ARRIAGE, ARAGE</b>			
	carriage	disparage	inter-
	marriage	miscarriage	marriage
<b>ARRIER</b>			
<b>barrier</b>	farrier	marrier	tarrier
<b>carrier</b>	harrier	parrier	
<b>ARRION</b> ( <i>see ARION</i> )			
<b>ARRIOR</b> ( <i>see ORRIER</i> )			
<b>ARROT</b> ( <i>see ARET</i> )			
<b>ARROW</b>			
	arrow	harrow	sparrow
	barrow	marrow	yarrow
	farrow	narrow	rest-harrow
<b>ARRY</b> ( <i>long</i> )			
	sparry	starry	tarry

<b>ARRY (short)</b>			
CARRY	marry	tarry	Intermarry
HARRY	party	miscarry	
<b>ARSEL (see ARCEL)</b>			
<b>ARSELY (see ARSLEY)</b>			
<b>ARRHAL</b>			
marshal	martial	partial	impartial
<b>ARSLEY</b>			
	parsley	sparsely	
<b>ARSON</b>			
	arson	parson	
<b>ARTAN, ARTEN</b>			
hearten	smarten	tartan	kindergarten
<i>marten</i>	spartan	dishearten	
<b>ARTAR, ARTER, ARTYR</b>			
barter	garter		starter
carter	martyr		tartar
charter	smarter		tarter
<b>ARTEL (see ARTLE)</b>			
<b>ARTER (see ARTAR)</b>			
<b>ARTEST (see ARTIST)</b>			
<b>ARTFUL</b>			
artful	cartfull		heartfull
<b>ARTHUR (see AATHER, long)</b>			
<b>ARTIST</b>			
	artist	smartest, etc. (see ART)	
<b>ARTLE, ARTEL</b>			
	cartel	startle	
<b>ARTLESS (see ART)</b>			
<b>ARTLET</b>			
martlet	partlet		tartlet
<b>ARTLY</b>			
smartly	partly		tartly
<b>ARTNER</b>			
partner	hearlenor	smartener	disheartener
<b>ARTRIDGE</b>			
	cartridge	partridge	
<b>ARTURE (see ARCHER)</b>			

<b>ARTY</b>	hearty	party	smarty
<b>ARTYR</b> ( <i>see ARTAR</i> )			
<b>ARVEL</b>	carvel	marvel	
<b>ARVEST</b>	carvest	harvest	starvest
<b>ARVING</b>	carving	starving	
<b>ARY</b> ( <i>see AIRY</i> )			
<b>ASAL, ASII., AZEL</b>	basil	hazel	nasal
<b>ASCAL, ASCHAL</b>	paschal	rascal	
<b>ASCAR</b> ( <i>see ASKER</i> )			
<b>ASCENT</b>	nascent	depascent	renascent
<b>ASCHISH</b>	haschish	flashish	rashish
<b>ASELESS</b> ( <i>see ACE</i> )			
<b>ASELY</b>	basely	spacely	
<b>ASEMENT</b>	casement	debasement	effacement
	abasement	defacement	embracement
<b>ASEOUS</b> ( <i>see ACEOUS</i> )			
<b>ASHEN, ASHION, ASSION, ATION</b> ( <i>short</i> )			
ashen	passion	compassion	dispassion
fashion	ration	empassion	
<b>ASHER</b>			
flasher	rasher	haberdasher, etc. ( <i>see ASH</i> )	
<b>ASHES</b>	ashes	spatterdashes, etc. ( <i>see ASH</i> )	
<b>ASHION</b> ( <i>see ASHEN</i> )			
<b>ASHIE, ASHY</b>			
ashy	mashie	sachet	splashy
flashy	plashy	slashy	
<b>ASHLESS</b> ( <i>see ASH</i> )			

**ASIL** (*see AZZLE, also ASAL*)

**ASIN** (*see ASTEN*)

**ASION**

abrasion	evasion	occasion	pervasion
dissuasion	invasion	persuasion	

**ASIS** (*see ACIS*)

**ASIVE**

susative	dissuasive	invasive
assuasive	evasive	persuasive

**ASKER, ASCAR**

basker	lascar, etc ( <i>see ASK</i> )
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**ASKET**

basket	casket
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**ASKLESS** (*see ASK*)

**ASON** (*see ASTEN, also AZEN*)

**ASPER**

asper	jasper, etc. ( <i>see ASP</i> )
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**ASPLESS** (*see ASP*)

**ASSAL** (*see ASTLE*)

**ASSAIL** (*see OSTLE*)

**ASSES**

asses	molasses, etc. ( <i>see Ass</i> )
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**ASSET, ACET, ACT**

asset	facet	tacit
basset	placet	

**ASSIC, ACIO**

classic	boracic	thoracic
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**ASSING**

passing	surpassing, etc. ( <i>see Ass</i> )
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**ASSION** (*see ASHEN*)

**ASSIVE**

massive	passive	impassive
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**ASSLESS** (*see Ass*)

**ASSOCK**

bassock	cassock	hassock
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**Assy, Ace, ASSIE, ASSÉ**

brassie	glacé	grassy	massy
chassé	glassy	laasie	paasé

<b>ASTARD, ASTERED</b>			
bastard	<i>castored</i>		<i>plastered</i>
dastard	<i>mastered</i>		
<b>ASTEFUL</b>			
	wasteful	distasteful	
<b>ASTEN, ASIN, ASON</b>			
basin	chasten	hasten	mason
<b>ASTER (long)</b>			
baster	haster		taster
chaster	paster		waster
<b>ASTER (short)</b>			
aster	plaster		alabaster
caster	vaster		burgomaster, etc.,
castor	disaster		poetaster
master	emplaster		quartermaster,
pastor	piastre		etc. ( <i>see AST</i> )
<b>ASTIO</b>			
drastic	elastic	monastic	ecclesiastic
mastic	fantastic	sarcastic	enthusiastic
plastic	gymnastic	scholastic	
<b>ASTING (long) (<i>see ASTE</i>)</b>			
<b>ASTING (short)</b>	lasting	everlasting, etc. ( <i>see AST</i> )	
<b>ASTLE, ASSAL, ASSEL</b>			
castle	tassel	vassal	wrangle
<b>ASTLESS (<i>see AST</i>)</b>			
<b>ASTLING (silent T) (<i>see ASTLE</i>)</b>			
<b>ASTLING (T sounded)</b>	castling	pastelling	
<b>ASTLY</b>			
ghastly	lastly		vastly
<b>ASTOR (<i>see ASTER</i>)</b>			
<b>ASTY</b>			
hasty	pasty		tasty
<b>ASTY</b>			
nasty	pasty		vasty
<b>ASURE, AZURE, AZIER</b>			
azure	glazier		rasure
brazier	grazier		embrasure
<b>ATA (long English A)</b>			
strata	errata	postulata	ultimata

ATA (*long continental A*)*Any of above, also*

sonata

cantata

ATAL

atal

fatal

natal

ATAN, AIGHTEN, AITTEN

satan

straighten

straiten

ATANT, ATENT

blatant

latent

natant

patent

ATCHER (*see ATURE, short*)

ATCHET

hatchet

latchet

ATCHLESS (*see ATCH*)

ATCHMAN, OTCHMAN

scotchman

watchman

ATELESS (*see ATT*)

ATELY, AITLEY

greatly      stately

elately

stately

lately      straitly

innately

etc. (*see ATE*)ATEN (*see ATTEN*)ATENT (*see ATANT*)ATER (*see ATOR, and for rhymes to water see AUGHTER*)ATHER (*long*), ARTHER

farther

father

rather

ATHIER (*short*)

biather

gather

lather

ATHING (*see AYTHING*)ATHLESS (*see ATH*)ATHELESS (*see ATHE*)

ATTAL, ACIAL

glacial

racial

spatial

ATTIC, ATTIO

attic

emphatic

quadratic

mathematic

static

erratic

rheumatic

muriatic

asthmatic

fanatic

schismatic

pancreatic

chromatic

phlegmatic

stigmatic

symptomatic

dogmatic

pneumatic

aerostatic

systematic

dramatic

pragmatic

emblematic

epigrammatic

ecstatic

prismatic

hydrostatic

idiomatic

**ATICS (add s to above)****ATID**

hydatid

caryatid

**ATIN**

latin

matin

patin

satin

**ATING (see ART)****ATION, ATIAN**

nation	filtration	oblation	venation
ration	fixation	oration	vexation
station	flagration	orbation	vibration
ablation	flammation	ovation	vocation
affilation	flirtation	perfilation	abdication
agnation	formation	piscation	aberration
alsatian	foundation	plantation	abjuration
aration	gestation	plication	abnegation
cantation	gradation	potation	abrogation
carnation	gustation	prelation	acceptation
cassation	gyration	privation	acclamation
castration	hortation	probation	accubation
causation	illation	prolation	accusation
cessation	inflation	prostration	adaptation
citation	lactation	pulsation	admiration
cognition	lavation	purgation	adoration
collation	legation	quotation	adulation
creation	libation	relation	adumbration
conflation	libration	rigation	advocation
cremation	ligation	rogation	aeration
cubation	location	rotation	affectation
cunctation	luctation	saltation	affidation
curtation	lunation	salvation	affirmation
curvation	lustration	scrutation	agitation
dalmatian	mactation	sensation	aggravation
damnation	mandation	serration	aggregation
deflation	migration	siccation	allegation
delation	mutation	signation	allocation
dictation	narration	stagnation	alteration
dilation	natation	stellation	altercation
donation	negation	sudation	alternation
dotation	nodation	taxation	amputation
duration	notation	temptation	anhelation
elation	novation	tentation	animation
equation	nudation	translation	annexation
falcation	nugation	vacation	annotation

**ATION, ATIAN—continued**

appellation	conflagration	degradation	emanation
application	conformation	degustation	embarkation
approbation	confrontation	delectation	embrocation
arbitration	confutation	delegation	emendation
arrogation	congelation	dementation	emigration
aspiration	conglobation	demonstration	emulation
assignation	congregation	denudation	enervation
attestation	conjugation	depilation	estimation
augmentation	conjuration	deportation	estivation
auguration	connotation	depravation	evagation
aviation	consecration	deprecation	evocation
avocation	conservation	depredation	exaltation
baineation	consolation	deprivation	excavation
bifurcation	constellation	derivation	exclamation
cachinnation	consternation	derogation	execration
calcination	consultation	desecration	exhalation
calculation	consumma-	desiccation	exhortation
cancellation	tion	designation	expectation
capitation	contempla-	desolation	expiation
captivation	tion	desperation	expiration
castigation	conversation	destination	explanation
celebration	convocation	detestation	explication
circulation	copulation	detonation	exploration
cogitation	coronation	detruncation	exportation
collocation	corporation	devastation	expurgation
coloration	correlation	deviation	extirpation
combination	corrugation	digitation	extrication
commenda-	coruscation	dilatation	exudation
tion	crepitation	dislocation	exultation
commination	culmination	dispensation	exundation
commutation	cultivation	disportation	fabrication
compensation	cumulation	dissertation	fascination
compilation	decimation	dissipation	fecundation
complication	declamation	distillation	festination
compurgation	declaration	divagation	fermentation
computation	declination	divination	figuration
concentration	dedication	domination	flagellation
condemna-	defalcation	dubititation	fluctuation
tion	defamation	duplication	fomentation
condensation	defecation	education	fornication
condonation	defloration	elevation	fulmination
confirmation	defoedation	elongation	fumigation
confiscation	deformation		

**ACTION, ATLAN—continued**

generation	judication	pabulation	relegation
germination	laceration	palliation	renovation
glaciation	lamentation	paipitation	reparation
graduation	lapidation	peculation	replication
granulation	laureation	penetration	reprobation
gravitation	legislation	percolation	reputation
gubernation	levigation	perdurbation	reservation
habitation	limitation	perforation	resignation
hesitation	lineation	permeation	respiration
illustration	litigation	permutation	restoration
imitation	lucubration	peroration	retardation
implantation	maceration	perpetration	retractation
implication	machination	personation	revelation
importation	maculation	perspiration	revocation
imprecation	malversation	perturbation	ruminatio
impregnation	manducation	population	salutation
imputation	mastication	postulation	scintillation
incantation	mediation	predication	segregation
incarnation	medication	preparation	semination
incitation	meditation	presentation	separation
inclination	mensuration	preservation	sequestration
incrusted	ministration	proclamation	simulation
incubation	misrelation	procreation	situation
inculcation	mitigation	procuration	speculation
indentation	moderation	profanation	spoliation
indication	modulation	prolongation	sternutation
indignation	moiestation	propagation	stimulation
induration	mordication	prorogation	stipulation
infeudation	mutilation	prosternation	subornation
inflammation	navigation	protestation	sublimation
information	nidulation	provocation	suffocation
inspiration	numeration	publication	supplication
installation	obduration	punctuation	suppuration
instigation	obfuscation	radiation	suspiratio
Instillation	objurgation	recantation	sustenatio
intimation	obligation	recitation	terminatio
intonation	observation	recreation	titillatio
inundation	occultation	recubation	toleration
invitation	occupation	reformation	transformatio
invocation	operation	refutation	transmutatio
irrigation	ordination	registration	transplanta
jactitation	oscillation	regulation	tion
jaculation	osculation	relaxation	transplantatio

**ATION, ATIAN—*continued***

transportation	attenuation	disfiguration
trepidation	authorization	disinclination
tribulation	canonization	disobligation
triplication	capitulation	dissemination
ulceration	circumvallation	dissimulation
usurpation	clarification	divarication
vacillation	coagulation	dulcification
valuation	cohabitation	edification
variegation	coindication	ejaculation
variation	commemoration	elaboration
vegetation	commensuration	elicitation
veneration	communication	elimination
ventilation	concatenation	elucidation
vesication	conciliation	emancipation
vindication	confabulation	emasculcation
violation	confederation	enumeration
visitation	configuration	enunciation
vitiation	conglomeration	equivocation
abbreviation	congratulation	evaporation
abomination	consideration	exacerbation
acceleration	consolidation	exaggeration
accentuation	contamination	examination
accommodation	continuation	exasperation
accumulation	co-operation	excoriation
adjudication	co-ordination	exhilaration
administration	corroboration	exoneration
adulteration	crystallization	expectoration
affiliation	debilitation	expostulation
alienation	decortication	extenuation
alleviation	degeneration	extermination
alliteration	defication	falsification
amalgamation	deliberation	felicitation
amplification	delineation	fortification
annihilation	denomination	gesticulation
anticipation	denunciation	glorification
appropriation	depopulation	gratification
approximation	despoliation	hallucination
argumentation	deterioration	humiliation
articulation	determination	illumination
assassination	dignification	imagination
asseveration	dilapidation	immaculation
assimilation	disapprobation	immoderation
association	discrimination	impropriation

ACTION, ATIAN—*continued*

inapplication	perambulation	sophistication
inauguration	peregrination	specification
incarceration	perpetuation	subordination
incineration	precipitation	subtilization
incorporation	predestination	symbolization
incrimination	prefiguration	tergiversation
inebriation	prejudication	testification
infatuation	premeditation	thurification
ingemination	preoccupation	versification
initiation	preponderation	vitrification
inoculation	prevarication	wituperation
insemination	procrastination	vociferation
insinuation	prognostication	beatification
intercalation	prolification	circumnavigation
interpolation	pronunciation	contraindication
interpretation	propitiation	cross-examination
interrogation	purification	discontinuation
intoxication	qualification	disqualification
investigation	ramification	diversification
irradiation	ratification	excommunication
justification	recommendation	inconsideration
legitimation	recrimination	indemnification
ludification	rectification	indetermination
manifestation	reciprocation	individuation
matriculation	redintegration	interlineation
mellioration	reduplication	lapidification
mellification	refrigeration	maladministration
misinformation	regeneration	misrepresentation
modification	regurgitation	naturalization
mollification	reiteration	personification
mortification	remuneration	predetermination
multiplication	renunciation	ratiocination
negotiation	representation	recapitulation
nidification	repudiation	reconciliation
notification	resuscitation	semifification
obliteration	retaliation	spiritualization
organization	reverberation	superannuation
origination	sanctification	supererogation
ossification	scarification	transubstantiation
pacification	signification	undervaluation
participation	solemnization	volatilization

ATIOUS (*see ACEOUS*)

<b>ATISH</b>			
latish	slatish	straightish	sedatish
<b>ATIST</b> ( <i>see ATTEST</i> )			
<b>ATIVE, ATIFF</b>			
caitiff		native	
dative		creative	procreative
<b>ATLESS</b> ( <i>see AT</i> )			.
<b>ATLING, ATTING</b>			
battling	fatling	gatling, etc.	( <i>see ATTLE</i> )
<b>ATLY, ATTLY</b>			
flatly	patly	rattly, etc.	( <i>see ATTLE</i> )
<b>ATO</b> ( <i>long English A</i> )			
	plato	potato	
<b>ATO</b> ( <i>long continental A</i> )			
	staccato	tomato	obligato
<b>ATOR, ATER, AITER, AITOR</b>			
cater	cunctator	conservator	perturbator
crater	curator	deprecator	plamater
greater	dictator	fornicator	procurator
hater	equator	gladiator	separator
mater	scrutator	imitator	valuator
pater	spectator	instigator	variegator
slater	testator	legislator	ventilator
traitor	agitator	mediator	violater
waiter	alligator	navigator	
creator	commentator	numerator	
<b>ATRIX</b>			
matrix	testatrix	mediatrix	administratrix
<b>ATRON</b>			
	matron	patron	
<b>ATTEN, ATON, ATEN</b>			
baton	fatten	paten	platen
batten	flatten	patten	
<b>ATTER</b>			
batter	flatter	platter	tatter
blatter	hatter	scatter	bespatter
chatter	latter	shatter	
clatter	matter	smatter	
fatter	patter	spatter	

<b>ATTERN, ATURN</b>			
pattern	saturn		slattern
<b>ATTEST, ATIST, ATTRICED</b>			
bratticed	flattest	latticed	statist, etc. <i>(see Ar)</i>
<b>ATTLE</b>			
battle	prattle	tattle	tittle-tattle
cattle	rattle	embattle	
<b>ATTLER, ATLER</b>			
	prattler	tatler, etc. ( <i>see Attle</i> )	
<b>ATTO, ATEAU</b>			
gateau	plateau		mulatto
<b>ATTRRESS</b>			
	mattress	flatteress	
<b>ATTY</b>			
batty	chatty	gnatty	patty
catty	fatty	natty	ratty
<b>ATUM</b>			
stratum	pomatum		ultimatum
erratum	postulatum		
<b>ATURE (long)</b>			
nature	legislature		nomenclature
<b>ATURE (short), ATCHER</b>			
catcher	snatcher		thatcher, etc.
scratcher	stature		<i>(see Ach)</i>
<b>ATURN (<i>see Attorn</i>)</b>			
<b>ATUS</b>			
status	afflatus	hiatus	apparatus
<b>ATY, EIGHTY, ATEY</b>			
eighty	praty		weighty
matey	slaty		
<b>AUBLESS (<i>see Aur</i>)</b>			
<b>AUCHION (<i>see Aution</i>)</b>			
<b>AUCTION (<i>see Oction</i>)</b>			
<b>AUDAL, AUDLE, AWDLE</b>			
caudal	caudle		dawdle
<b>AUDIT</b>			
	audit	plaudit	
<b>AUDLESS (<i>see Aud</i>)</b>			

**AUDLIN** (*see ORDLING*)

**AUDY, AWDY**

bawdy	gaudy
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**AUGHLESS** (*see AFF*)

**AUGHTER, ATER, AUTER** (*for rhymes to laughter see AFTER*)

daughter	slaughter	tauter	manslaughter
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*See also ORTER*

**AUGHTY, OUGHTY**

doughty	haughty	naughty
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**AUKLESS** (*see ALK*)

**AULIC**

aulic	hydraulic
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**AULING** (*see ALLING*)

**AULTER** (*see ALTAR*)

**AULTY, ALTY**

faulty	malty	salty	vaulty
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**AUNCHLESS** (*see AUNCH*)

**AUNDER**

launder	maunder
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**AUNDRY**

laundry	maundery
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**AUNLESS** (*see AWN*)

**AUNTER**

haunter	saunter	taunter	vaunter, etc. ( <i>see AUNT</i> )
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**AUNTLESS** (*see AUNT*)

**AUPER** (*see ORPOR*)

**AUREL** (*see ORAL, short*)

**AUSELESS** (*see AUSE*)

**AUSEOUS, AUTIOUS, ORTIOS**

cautious	nauseous	<i>ortious</i>
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**AUSTIC** (*see OSTIC*)

**AUSTLESS** (*see AUST*)

**AUSTRAL**

austral	claustral
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**AUTION, AUCHION**

caution	fauchion	precaution
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*See also ORTION*

AUTIOUS (*see AUSEOUS*)

AVA

lava

guava

palarer

AVAGE

ravage

savage

AVAL (*long*), AVEL

naval

navel

save-all

shavel

AVEL (*short*), AVIL

cavil

gravel

travail

unravel

AVELESS (*see AVE*)

AVELIN

javelin

ravelin

AVELING

knaveling

shaveling

waveling

AVELY

bravely

gravely

knavely

slavely

AVEMENT

pavement

enslavement

AVEN

craven

haven

raven

AVER (*see AVOUR*)

AVERN

cavern

tavern

AVID

avid

gravid

AVIER (*see AVIOUR*)

AVIL (*see AVEL*)

AVIOUR

paviour

wavier

misbehaviour

saviour

behaviour

AVISH (*long*)

knavish

slavish

AVISH (*short*)

lavish

ravish

AVIT

cessavit

affidavit

AVO

bravo

octavo

**AVOUR, AVER**

braver	paver	shaver	semiquaver.
favour	quaver	slaver	etc. ( <i>see AVE</i> )
flavour	raver	disfavour	
haver	savour	engraver	

**AVY**

gravy

navy

slavey

wavy

**AWDRY**

bawdry

tawdry

**AWDY (see AUDY)****AWER (see OR)****AWFUL**

awful

lawful

unlawful

**AWKER (see ALKER)****AWLER (see ALL)****AWLESS (see AW)****AWLING (see ALLING)****AWLLESS (see ALL)****AWNING**

awning

fawning

morning

yawning, etc.  
(*see AUN*)**AWNLESS (see AWN)****AWNY**

brawny

lawnly

yawny

fawny

tawny

**AWY**

flawy

pawy

thawy

jawy

strawy

*See also OY***AWYER**

lawyer

sawyer

topsawyer

**AXEN, AXON**

flaxen

saxon

waxed

**AXLESS (see Ax)****AXY**

flaxy

tax!

was:

staraxy

**AYDAY, EYDAY**

heyday

payday

playday

<b>A YER, EYOR</b>	<i>(for rhymes to prayer and mayor see AIR)</i>		
brayer	payer	slayer	purveyor
layer	player	betrayer	surveyor, etc. <i>(see AY)</i>
<b>A YEEY, EYEY</b>			
clayey		sprayey	wheyey
<b>A YFISH, AFISH</b>			
	crayfish	safish	
<b>A YFUL</b>	playful	dismayful	
<b>A YING</b>			
		saying, etc. <i>(see AY)</i>	
<b>A YLING</b> <i>(see AILING)</i>			
<b>A YLESS</b> <i>(see AY)</i>			
<b>A YMAN</b>	layman	<i>highwayman</i>	
<b>A YMENT</b> <i>(see AIMANT)</i>			
<b>A YORESS</b> <i>(see EIRESS)</i>			
<b>A YTHING</b>	plaything	<i>scathing, etc.</i> <i>(see ATHE)</i>	
<b>A ZARD</b>	hazard	<i>mazard</i>	
<b>A ZEL</b> <i>(see ASAL)</i>			
<b>AZELESS</b> <i>(see AISE)</i>			
<b>A ZEN, AZON, ASON, AISIN</b>			
blazon	gazon	<i>emblazon</i>	
brazen	raisin	<i>diapason</i>	
<b>A ZEMENT</b>	amazement	<i>erasement</i>	
<b>A ZER, AISER, AZOR</b>			
blazer	mazer	razor	<i>stargazer, etc.</i>
gazer	praiser	appraiser	<i>(see AISE)</i>
<b>A ZIER</b> <i>(see ASURE)</i>			
<b>A ZING</b>	amazing	<i>star-gazing, etc.</i> <i>(see AISE)</i>	
<b>A ZURE</b> <i>(see ASURE)</i>			
<b>A ZZLE, ASIL</b>			
basil	drazel	razzle	<i>razzle-dazzle</i>
dazzle	frazzle	bedazzle	

<b>AZY, AISY</b>			
crazy	hazy		mazy
daisy	lazy		
<b>EA</b>			
idea	panacea		ratafia
<b>EACELESS (see EACE)</b>			
<b>EACHER, EATURE</b>			
beacher	feature	reacher	impeacher
bleacher	peacher	teacher	meteorr
creature	preacher	beseecher	
<b>EACHLESS (see EACH)</b>			
<b>EACHMENT</b>	peachment	impeachment	
<b>EACHY (see EECHY)</b>			
<b>EACON (see EAKEN)</b>			
<b>EADEN (short)</b>			
deaden	leaden	redden	threaden
<b>EADER (see EAD)</b>			
<b>EADLE, EEDLE, EDAL</b>			
beadle	predai	wheedle	sesquipedal
daedal	sweedle	bipetal	
needle	tweedle	centipetal	
<b>EADLESS (see EAD and ED)</b>			
<b>EADLY (short) (see EDLEY)</b>			
<b>EADY (long) (see EDDY)</b>			
<b>EADY (short), EDDY</b>			
eddy	ready	steady	unready
heady	shreddy	already	unsteady
<b>EAFEST, EFACED</b>			
	deafest	prefaced	
<b>EAFLESS (long) (see EEF)</b>			
<b>EAFY, EEFY</b>			
beefy	leafy		sheafy
feoffee	reefy		
<b>EAGER, EAGRE, IGUER, EAGUER</b>			
eager	meagre		
leaguer	beleaguer		intriguer
<b>EAGLE, EGAL, FIGLE</b>			
beagle	gregal	regal	illegal
eagle	legal	seagull	inveigle

EACRE ( <i>see EAGER</i> )			
EAGUER ( <i>see EAGER</i> )			
EAKEN, EAON			
beacon	deacon		weaken
EAKER, EAKER			
beaker	seeker	speaker, etc. ( <i>see EAK</i> )	
EAKING			
sea-king	speaking	sneaking, etc. ( <i>see EAK</i> )	
EAKLESS ( <i>see EAK</i> )			
EAKLING, EEKLING, EACLING			
meekling	treacling		weakling
EAKLY ( <i>see EEKLY</i> )			
EAKY, EEKY			
beaky	creeky	peeky	squeaky
cheeky	freaky	pique	streaky
cliquey	leaky	reeky	tweaky
creaky	peaky	sneaky	appliqué
EAL			
real	ideal	unreal	hymeneal
EALER, EELER			
dealer	peeler	four-wheeler	double-dealer
feeler	wheeler	plain-dealer, etc. ( <i>see EAL, one syllable</i> )	
EALESS ( <i>see E</i> )			
EALING, EELING			
ceiling	healing	plain-dealing	fellow-feeling
feeling	unfeeling	double-dealing	etc. ( <i>see EAL, one syllable</i> )
EALESS ( <i>see EAL</i> )			
EALMENT		concealment	congealment
EALMLESS ( <i>see EALM</i> )			
EALOT ( <i>see ELATE</i> )			
EALOUS			
jealous	zealous		procellous
EALTHY			
healthy	stealthy	wealthy	unhealthy
EALTY			
	fealty	realty	

<b>EALY, EELY, ELY</b>			
chely	peely		steely
freely	seely		wheely
mealy	squealy		genteely
<b>EAMAN, AEMON, EEMAN, EMAN, EMON</b>			
beeman	demon		leman
daemon	freeman		teaman
<b>EAMER, EEMER, EMER, EMIR, EMUR</b>			
dreamer	femur	steamer	blasphemer
emir	schemer	streamer	redeemer, etc. <i>(see EAM)</i>
<b>EAMISH</b>			
	beamish	squeamish	
<b>EAMLESS (<i>see EAM</i>)</b>			
<b>EAMSTER (<i>see EEMSTER</i>)</b>			
<b>EAMY (<i>see EAM</i>)</b>			
<b>EAN, EIAN, IEN</b>			
lien	pygmean		hymenean
paeon	empyrean		tartarean
plebelian	european		epicurean
<b>EANER (<i>see EANOUR</i>)</b>			
<b>EANING, ENING</b>			
gleaning	meaning	damascening, etc. ( <i>see EAN, one syllable</i> )	
<b>EANLESS (<i>see EAN</i>)</b>			
<b>EANLING, EENLING</b>			
queenling	weanling	yeanling	
<b>EANLY (<i>see ENELY</i>)</b>			
<b>EANOUR, EENER, ENER</b>			
cleaner	greener	demeanour	
gleaner	convener	misdemeanour, etc. ( <i>see EAN</i> )	
<b>EAPEN, EEPEN</b>			
cheapen	deepen		steepen
<b>EAPER, EEPER</b>			
cheaper	creeper	reaper	weeper, etc.
cheeper	keeper	sleeper	<i>(see EAP)</i>
<b>EAPLY</b>			
cheaply	deeply		steeply
<b>EAPY (<i>see EAP</i>)</b>			

<b>EARANCE, ERENCE</b>			
clearance		appearance	incoherence
adherence		coherence	perseverance
<b>EARCHER (see ERCHER)</b>			
<b>EAREST (see ERIST)</b>			
<b>EARFUL, EERFUL</b>			
cheerful		fearful	tearful
<b>EARIER (see EERIER)</b>			
<b>EARING, EERING</b>			
cheering	ear-ring		bearing, etc. (see EAR)
<b>EARLESS (see EAR)</b>			
<b>EARLESS (see EARL)</b>			
<b>EARLING (see ERLING)</b>			
<b>EARLY, IRLY, URLY</b>			
burly	girly	twirly	hurly-burly
curly	pearly	whirly	
early	surly	yearly	
<i>See also ERELY</i>			
<b>EARMENT, EREMENT</b>			
	cerement	endearment	
<b>EARNER, OURNER, URNER</b>			
burner	learner		sojourner, etc.
earner	turner		(see EARN)
<b>EARNEST</b>			
earnest	furnaced	learnest, etc. (see EARN).	
<b>EARNING, URNING, ERNING</b>			
burning	turning	concerning	undiscerning
learning	book-learning	discerning	
<b>EARSAL, ERSAL</b>			
rehearsal	reversal	transversal	universal
<b>EARSELESS (see ERCE)</b>			
<b>EARTEN (see ARTAN)</b>			
<b>EARTLESS (see ART)</b>			
<b>EARY, EERY, ERY, etc.</b>			
beery	dreary	query	theory
cheery	eerie	smeary	weary
dearie	peri	sneery	miserere
<b>EASAN (see ESEN)</b>			
<b>EASAND</b>			
reasoned	seasoned	treasoned	weasand

<b>EASANT, ESENT</b>			
peasant	pleasant		unpleasant
pheasant	present		omnipresent
<b>EASEL</b>	easel	weasel	
<b>EASELESS (sharp s) (see EACE)</b>			
<b>EASING</b>		unpleasing, etc. (see EASE)	
<b>EASLES</b>	easles	measles	weasels
<b>EASON</b>	reason	season	treason
<b>EASONED (see EASAND)</b>			
<b>EASONING</b>		reasoning	seasoning
<b>EASTER</b>	easter	feaster	
<b>EASTING</b>	beasting	bee-sting	feasting
<b>EASTLESS (see EEST)</b>			
<b>EASTLY</b>	beastly	priestly	
<b>EASURE, EISURE</b>			
leisure	pleasure		displeasure
measure	treasure		out-measure
<b>EASY, EESY, EAZY</b>			
breezy	easy	sleazy	wheezy
cheesy	queasy	sneezy	
<b>EATEN</b>			
beaten	heaten	sweeten	worm-eaten
eaten	seton	wheaten	weather-beaten
<b>EATER (see ETRE)</b>			
<b>EATHER (long), EETHER, EITHER</b>			
breather,	either	neither	seether, etc.
			(see EATHE)
<b>EATHER (short), ETHER</b>			
blether	leather	weather	belwether
feather	nether	wether	together
heather	tether	whether	altogether

EATHING, EETHING			
breathing	seething	tea-thing, etc. ( <i>see EATH</i> )	
EATHY			
heathy	sheathy	wreathy	
EATEST ( <i>see ETIST</i> )			
EATHLESS ( <i>see EATH</i> )			
EATING, EETING			
	greeting, etc. ( <i>see EAT</i> )		
EATLESS ( <i>see EAT</i> )			
EATLY ( <i>see EETLY and ATELY</i> )			
EATMENT	treatment	completement	
EATURE			
creature	feature	meteor	sleetier, etc.
	<i>For more correct rhymes see EACHER</i> ( <i>see EATY</i> )		
EATY			
meaty		sweety	entreathy
sleety		treaty	
EAVER			
beaver	weaver	concelver	disbeliever
cleaver	achiever	deceiver	unbeliever
fever	believer	receiver	etc. ( <i>see EAVER</i> )
lever	coalheaver	reliever	
EAVEN			
heaven	leaven	seven	eleven
EAVOUR ( <i>see EVER</i> )			
EAVY ( <i>see EVY</i> )			
EBBLE, EBEL, EBLE			
pebble	rebel		treble
EBBLY, EBLY			
	pebbly	trebly	
EBBLESS, EBLESS ( <i>see EB</i> )			
EBTOR ( <i>see ETTER</i> )			
EOANT ( <i>see IQUANT</i> )			
ECENT			
decent	puiissant	recent	indecent
ECHER, ETCHER			
fletcher	lecher		stretcher

<b>ECHO, EKON</b>			
	echo	pekoe	
<b>ECLAN (see ETION, long)</b>			
<b>EClOUS (long)</b>	specious	facetious	
<b>EClOUS (short)</b>	precious	refreshes, etc. (see ESH)	
<b>ECKER, EQUER</b>			
cheeker	decker	wrecker	woodpecker
chequer	pecker	exchequer	etc. (see Eck)
<b>ECKLACE (see ECKLESS)</b>			
<b>ECKLE, EKEL</b>			
freckle	keckle	speckle	
heckle	shekel	bespeckle	
<b>ECKLESS, ECKLACE</b>			
feckless	necklace	reckless	speckless
<b>ECKLING (see ECKLE)</b>			
<b>ECKLY (see ECKLE : see also ECTLY)</b>			
<b>ECKON</b>			
	beckon	reckon	
<b>ECKONED, ECOND</b>			
beckoned	reckoned	second	
<b>ECKONING (see ECKON)</b>			
<b>ECOND (see ECKONED)</b>			
<b>ECTANT, ECTENT</b>			
expectant	reflectent	disinfectant, etc. (see ECT)	
<b>ECTAR (see ECTOR)</b>			
<b>ECTENT (see ECTANT)</b>			
<b>ECTFUL</b>			
neglectful	respectful	disrespectful	
<b>ECTIO</b>			
	dialectic	apoplectic	
<b>ECTILE</b>			
	insectile	projectile	
<b>ETION, EXION</b>			
flexion	vexion	affection	collection
lection	abjection	aspection	complexion
section	adjection	bisection	confection

**ACTION, AXION—continued**

connexion	injection	subsection	intellection
correction	inspection	trajection	interjection
defection	neglection	trisection	intersection
deflection	objection	by-election	Introspection
dejection	perfection	circumspection	predilection
detection	prelection	circumvection	recollecion
dilection	profaction	re-election	
direction	projection	resurrection	
dissection	protection	conicsection	retrospection
ejection	refection	disaffection	venesection
election	reflection	genuflexion	incircumspection
erection	rejection	imperfection	
infection	selection	indirection	superinjection
inflexion	subjaction	insurrection	

**ECTIVE**

affective	effective	perfective	subjective
collective	elective	perspective	circumspective
corrective	infective	prospective	
defective	inflective	protective	ineffective
detective	invective	reflective	Irrespective
directive	objective	respective	retrospective

**ECTLY**

correctly	incorrectly	circumspectly
directly	indirectly	

**ECTOR, ECTRE, ECTAR**

hector	rector	spectre	elector
nectar	sector	director	reflector, etc. <i>(see ECR)</i>

**ECTUAL**

effectual	ineffectual	Intellectual
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**ECTURE**

lecture	prefecture	architecture
conjecture	projection	

**EDDEN (see EADEN)****EDDING**

bedding	wedding, etc. <i>(see ED)</i>
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**EDDLE, EDAL, EADLE (short), EDULE**

medal	pedal	riddle	treadle
meddle	peddle	schedule	intermeddle

**EDDLER (see EDLAR)**

<b>EDDLING</b>	shredling	meddling, etc. ( <i>see EDDLE</i> )
<b>EDDY</b> ( <i>see EADY</i> )		
<b>EDELESS</b> ( <i>see EAD</i> )		
<b>EDENCE</b>		
credence	precedence	antecedence
<b>EDENT</b>		
credent	needn't	precedent
<b>EDGELESS</b> ( <i>see EDGE</i> )		
<b>EDGER</b>		
dredger	kedger	pledger, etc.
hedger	ledger	( <i>see EDGE</i> )
<b>EDGING</b>	dredging	edging, etc. ( <i>see EDGE</i> )
<b>EDIAN</b>	comedian	tragedian
<b>EDIENCE</b>		
expedience	obedience	disobedience Inexpedience
<b>EDIENT</b>		
expedient	obedient	Inexpedient
ingredient	disobedient	
<b>EDING</b> ( <i>long</i> ) ( <i>see EAD</i> )		
<b>EDIT</b>		
credit	edit	discredit
<b>EDIUM</b>		sub-edit
	medium	tedium
<b>EDLAR</b>		
mediar	meddler	pedlar
medaller	pedaller	treadler
		Intermeddles
<b>EDLEY, EADLY</b>		
	deadly	medley
<b>EDNESS, EADNESS</b> ( <i>see ED</i> )		
<b>EDO</b>		
	credo	torpedo
<b>EECELESS</b> ( <i>see EACH</i> )		
<b>ECHES</b> ( <i>see ICHEs</i> )		
<b>ECHLESS</b> ( <i>see EACH</i> )		

**EECHY**

beachy  
beechy  
peachy

preachy  
queachy  
screechy

speechy  
campeachy  
medici, etc.

**EECY**

fleecy

greasy

**EEDER** (*see EAD*)**EEDFUL**

heedful

needful

**EEDLE** (*see EADLE*)**EEDLER** (*see EADLE*)**EEDLESS** (*see EAD*)**EEDLING**

feedling  
needling

seedling  
sweedling

tweedling  
wheedling

**EEDOM**

freedom

sedom

**EEDY, EADY**

beady  
greedy

needy  
reedy

seedy  
speedy

weedy  
unheedy

**EEFLESS** (*see EEF*)**EEFY** (*see EAFY*)**EEKLESS** (*see EAK*)**EELKY**

freakly  
meekly

sleekly  
weakly

weekly  
obliquely

**EELER** (*see EALER*)**EELESS** (*see E*)**EELING** (*see EALING*)**EELLESS** (*see EAL*)**EEMLY** (*see EMELY*)**EEMSTER, EAMSTER**  
deemster

dreamster

teamster

**EENISH, EANISH**

cleanish greenish

leanish

spleenish

**EENLESS** (*see EAN*)**EENLY** (*see ENELY*)**EENY**

greeny  
queenie

sheeny  
spleeny

teeny  
tweeny

weeny

<b>EEPEN</b> ( <i>see EAPEN</i> )			
<b>EPEPER</b> ( <i>see EAPER</i> )			
<b>EPIER</b>	creepier	sleepier	leap-year
<b>EEPING</b> ( <i>see EAP</i> )			
<b>EPLE, EOPLE</b>	people	steeple	
<b>EPLY</b> ( <i>see EAPLY</i> )			
<b>EPPY</b> ( <i>see EAP</i> )			
<b>EERAGE</b>	peerage	steerage	arrearage
<b>ERESS</b> ( <i>see EAR</i> )			
<b>EERIER, EARIER, ERIOR</b>			
beerier	eerier	anterior	interior
cheerier	smearier	exterior	posterior
drearier	wearer	inferior	superior
<b>EERLESS</b> ( <i>see EAR</i> )			
<b>EERLY</b> ( <i>see ERELY</i> )			
<b>EERY</b> ( <i>see EARY</i> )			
<b>ESELESS</b> ( <i>see EASE</i> )			
<b>EESTONE</b>	freestone	keystone	
<b>EETEN</b> ( <i>see EATEN</i> )			
<b>EETLE</b>	beetle	betel	decretal
<b>EETLESS</b> ( <i>see EAT</i> )			
<b>EETLY</b> ( <i>see ETELY</i> )			
<b>EETY</b> ( <i>see EATY</i> )			
<b>EIVISH, IEVISH</b>	peevish	thievish	
<b>EZELESS</b> ( <i>see EASE</i> )			
<b>EEZER, EYSER</b>			
freezer	squeezier	wheezer, etc.	
geyser	tweezer	( <i>see EASE</i> )	
<b>EFACED</b> ( <i>see EAFEST</i> )			
<b>EFTLESS</b> ( <i>see EFT</i> )			
<b>EFTY</b>	clefty	hefty	wefty

**E<sup>G</sup>AL** (*see EAGLE*)

**E<sup>G</sup>GY**

dreggy	eggy	leggy	peggy
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**E<sup>G</sup>GLESS, E<sup>G</sup>LESS** (*see Eg*)

**E<sup>G</sup>IAN, E<sup>G</sup>ION**

legion	collegian	norwegian
region	glaswegian	

**E<sup>G</sup>MLESS** (*see Em*)

**E<sup>G</sup>NANT**

regnant	pregnant
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**E<sup>G</sup>RASS**

egress	negress	gress
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**E<sup>I</sup>AN** (*see EAN, two syllables*)

**E<sup>I</sup>FER, E<sup>A</sup>FER**

deafer	heifer
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**E<sup>I</sup>HBOUR** (*see ABER*)

**E<sup>I</sup>IGHTY** (*see ATTY*)

**E<sup>I</sup>ILING** (*see EALING*)

**E<sup>I</sup>ING** (*see EA, one syllable*)

**E<sup>I</sup>RESS**

heiress	mayoress
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**E<sup>I</sup>ST**

deist	seest	theist, etc. ( <i>see EA, one syllable</i> )
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**E<sup>I</sup>THER** (*see EATHER, long, and ITHER, long*)

**E<sup>I</sup>TY**

deity	spontaneity	homogeneity	heterogeneity
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**E<sup>I</sup>ZURE**

easier	seizure, etc. ( <i>see EASY</i> )
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**E<sup>E</sup>KEL** (*see ECKLE*)

**E<sup>E</sup>LATE, E<sup>A</sup>LOT, E<sup>A</sup>LOT**

helot	stellate	appellate
prelate	zealot	constellate

**E<sup>E</sup>LCHER, E<sup>E</sup>LSHER**

belcher	welsher
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**E<sup>E</sup>LDAM, E<sup>E</sup>LDOM**

beldam	seldom
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<b>ELDER</b>	elder	gelder	welder
<b>ELDEST</b>	eldest	heldest, etc. ( <i>see ELD</i> )	
<b>ELDING</b>	gelding	welding	
<b>ELDOM</b> ( <i>see ELDAM</i> )			
<b>ELEON</b> ( <i>see ELLIAN</i> )			
<b>ELFISH</b>			
elfish	pelfish	unselfish	
selfish	shell-fish		
<b>ELFLESS</b> ( <i>see ELF</i> )			
<b>ELIAN, ELEON, ELION</b>			
pellion	chameleon	perihelion	
aphelion	cornelian		
<b>ELIO</b>	relio	angelic	
<b>ELINE</b>	bee-line	feline	
<b>ELION</b> ( <i>see ELLIAN</i> )			
<b>ELISH, ELLISH</b>			
hellish	relish	disrelish	embellish
<b>ELLAR, ELLER</b>			
cellar	selier	teller	interstellar,
dweller	stellar	saltcellar	etc. ( <i>see ELL</i> )
<b>ELLEST, ELLISED</b>	quellest	trellised, etc. ( <i>see ELL</i> )	
<b>ELLI, ELLY</b>			
belly	jelly	vermicelli	
felly	shelly		
<b>ELLING</b>	cloud-compelling, etc. ( <i>see ELL</i> )		
<b>ELLISED</b> ( <i>see ELLEST</i> )			
<b>ELLO, ELLOE, ELLOW</b>			
bellow	fellow	duello	violoncello
'cello	mellow	prunello	
felloe	yellow	punchinello	
<b>ELLUM</b>	skellum	vellum	

<b>ELLY</b> ( <i>see ELLI</i> )			
<b>ELMLESS</b> ( <i>see EALM</i> )			
<b>ELON</b>	felon	melon	
<b>ELOP, ELOPE</b>	develop	envelope (verb)	
<b>ELOT</b> ( <i>see ELATE</i> )			
<b>ELPER</b> ( <i>see ELP</i> )			
<b>ELPLESS</b> ( <i>see ELP</i> )			
<b>ELTER</b>			
melter	shelter	spelter	welter
pelter	smelter	swelter	helter-skelter, etc. ( <i>see ELT</i> )
<b>ELTING</b>			
beltling	felting	melting	pelting, etc. ( <i>see ELT</i> )
<b>ELTLESS</b> ( <i>see ELT</i> )			
<b>ELVING</b>			
delving		helving	shelving
<b>EMBER</b>			
ember	december	november	september
member	dismember	remember	
<b>EMBLE</b>			
semble		assemble	resemble
tremble		dissemble	
<b>EMBLER</b> ( <i>see EMBLE</i> )			
<b>EMBLY</b>			
	trembly	assembly	
<b>EMELESS</b> ( <i>see EAM</i> )			
<b>EMELY, EEMLY</b>			
seemly	extremely	supremely	unseemly
<b>EMER</b> ( <i>see EAMER</i> )			
<b>EMIC</b>			
chemic		polemic	epidemic
endemic		academic	
<b>EMIER, EAMIER</b>			
	dreamier	premier, etc. ( <i>see EAMY</i> )	
<b>EMIR</b> ( <i>see EAMER</i> )			
<b>EMISH</b>			
blemish	clemmish	flemish	

<b>EMIST, EMMEST</b>	chemist	stemmest, etc. (see EM)
<b>EMLESS (see EM)</b>		
<b>EMMER, EMNER (see EMOR)</b>		
<b>EMON (long) (see EAMAN)</b>		
<b>EMON (short)</b>	gemman	lemon
<b>EMOR, EMMER, EMNER</b>		
clemmer	tremor	condemner
		contemner, etc. (see EM)
<b>EMPLAR</b>	templar	exemplar
<b>EMPSTRESS</b>	dempstress	sempstress
<b>EMPTER</b>		
tempter	attempter	exempter
<b>EMPTION</b>		
emption	coemption	pre-emption
ademption	exemption	redemption
<b>EMUR (see EAMER)</b>		
<b>ENA, INA</b>		
hyena	tsarina	signorina
subpoena	concertina	
<b>ENACE, ENNOUS, ENUS</b>		
genus	pennous	impennous
menace	tenace	vaginopennous, etc.
<b>ENAL</b>		
penal	renal	venal
<b>ENANT, ENNANT</b>		
pennant	tenant	lieutenant
<b>ENATE (see ENNET)</b>		
<b>ENCELESS (see ENCE)</b>		
<b>ENCER, ENSER, ENSOR</b>		
censer	fencer	condenser
censor	spencer	dispenser
<b>ENCEFORTH</b>	henceforth	thenceforth
<b>ENCHER, ENSURE</b>		
bencher	clencher	trencher
censure	quancher	wencher, etc (see ENCH)

**ENCHES** (*see ENSIOUS*)

**ENCHLESS** (*see ENCH*)

**ENCIL** (*see ENSAL*)

**ENDAM** (*see ENDUM*)

**ENDANCE, ENDENCE**

attendance	resplendence	condescendence
dependence	transcendence	independence

**ENDANT, ENDENT**

pendant	attendant	descendent	independent
pendent	contendent	impendent	interdepend-
splendent	defendant	intendant	dent
appendant	dependent	resplendent	superinten-
ascendant	descendant	transcendent	dent

**ENDER, ENDOUR**

fender	render	splendour	pretender
gender	sender	tender	surrender
lender	slender	engender	etc. ( <i>see END</i> )

**ENDING**

	pending	pretending, etc. ( <i>see END</i> )
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**ENDLESS** (*see END*)

**ENDLY**

friendly	reverendly	unfriendly
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**ENDOUR** (*see ENDER*)

**ENDOUS**

	stupendous	tremendous
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**ENDUM, ENDAM**

addendum	commendam	referendum
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**ENELY, EANLY, EENLY**

greenly	leanly	queenly	serenely
keenly	meanly	obscenely	

**ENEOUS** (*see ENIUS*)

**ENER** (*see EANOUR*)

**ENET** (*see ENNET*)

**ENGLISH, INGLISH**

english	jingliss	tingliss
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**ENGTHEN**

	lengthen	strengthen
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**ENIAL**

genial	menial	venial	congenial
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**ENIO**

scenic

splenio

arsenic (adj.)

**ENIENT**

lenient

convenient

intervenient

supervenient

advenient

inconvenient

introvenient

**ENIOR**

senior

signor

weenier

señor

teenier

**ENIOUS (see ENIUS)****ENISH**

rhenish

replenish

**ENIST, EENEST, etc.**

gleanest

greenist

plenist

machinist, etc.  
(*see EAN*)**ENIUS, ENEOUS, ENIOUS**

genius

ingenious

heterogeneous

arsenious

homogeneous

**ENLESS (see EN)****ENNA**

senna

duenna

gehenna

**ENNANT (see ENANT)****ENNEL, ENOL**

gennel

kennel

pheno)

**ENNER**

penner

tenner

tenor

tenour

**ENNET**

gennet

rennet

tenet

jennet

senate

**ENNIAL**

biennial

millennial

perennial

**ENNIMUM**

millennium quinquennium, etc.

**ENNOM, ENON**

pennon

tenon

**ENNY, ANY**

any

many

wenny

fenny

penny

**ENOR, ENOUR (see ENNER)**

<b>ENSAL, ENCIL, ENSIL</b>			
mensal	pencil	stencil	utensil
<b>ENSELY</b>			
densely	immensely	intensely	
<b>ENSER (see ENCR)</b>			
<b>ENSIL (see ENSAL)</b>			
<b>ENSILE</b>			
penstle	tensile		prehensile
<b>ENSION (see ENTIAN)</b>			
<b>ENSIOUS, ENTIOUS, ENCHES</b>			
contentious	licentious		conscientious
dissentious	sententious		benches, etc. (see ENCH)
<b>ENSIVE</b>			
pensive	extensive	apprehensive	reprehensive
ascensive	intensive	comprehensive	incomprehensible
defensive	offensive	condescensive	
expensive	ostensive	inoffensive	unapprehensive
<b>ENSOR (see ENCR)</b>			
<b>ENSURE (see ENCHER)</b>			
<b>ENTAIL</b>	entail	ventail	
<b>ENTAL (see ENTLE)</b>			
<b>ENTANCE, ENTENCE</b>			
	sentence	repentance	
<b>ENTAUR, ENTOR</b>			
	centaur	mentor	
<b>ENTE, ENTY</b>			
plenty	scenty	festina lente	
twenty	dolce far niente	nemine contradicente	
<b>ENTER (see ENTRE)</b>			
<b>ENTEST (see ENTIST)</b>			
<b>ENTFUL</b>			
contentful	eventful	repentful	resentful
<b>ENTIAL</b>			
credential	consequential	pestilential	unessential
essential	differential	providential	
potential	influential	quintessential	
prudential	penitential	reverential	

**ENTIAN, ENTION, ENSION**

gentian	detention	portension	condescension
mention	dimension	pretension	contravention
pension	dissension	prevention	inattention
tension	distension	retention	intervention
abstention	extension	suspension	reprehension
accension	intension	apprehension	subtervention
ascension	intention	circumven-	supervention
attention	invention	coextension	misapprehen-
contention	obvention	comprehen-	sion
convention	obtension	preapprehen-	
declension	perpension	sion	

**ENTIC**

authentic      Identic

**ENTICE, ENTIS**

pentice      prentice      apprentice compos mentis

**ENTICED (see ENTIST)****ENTIL (see ENTLE)****ENTILE**

gentile      pentile

**ENTING**

unrelenting, etc. (see ENT)

**ENTION (see ENTIAN)****ENTIST, ENTEST, ENTICED**

dentist	prenticed	apprenticed
penticed	sentest	preventist, etc. (see ENT)

**ENTIVE**

attentive	intentive	preventive	inattentive
incentive	inventive	retentive	

**ENTLE, ENTAL, ENTIL**

dental	ingenthe	instrumental	sacramental
gentle	accidental	monumental	supplemental
lentil	detrimental	occidental	transcen-
mental	elemental	oriental	dental
rental	firmamental	ornamental	experimental
trental	fundamental	regimental	tempera-
parental	incidental	rudimental	mental

**ENTLESS (see ENT)****ENTLY**

gently	mentally	intently	evidently, etc.
		(see ENTLE and ENT)	

<b>ENTMENT</b>	contentment	presentment	resentment
<b>ENTOR (see ENTAUR and ENTRE)</b>			
<b>ENTOUS</b>	momentous	portentous	
<b>ENTRE, ENTER, ENTOR</b>			
centre	tenter		precentor
enter	dissenter		rackrenter
mentor	inventor		tormentor, etc. (see ENT)
<b>ENTRIC</b>	eccentric	<i>enteric</i>	
<b>ENTRY</b>	entry	gentry	sentry
<b>ENTURE</b>			
venture	debenture		misadventure
adventure	indenture		peradventure
<b>ENTY (see ENTE)</b>			
<b>ENU, ENUH</b>	menu	venue	
<b>ENUOUS</b>	strenuous	ingenuous	disingenuous
<b>ENUS (short) (see ENACE)</b>			
<b>ENZA</b>	cadenza	faenza	influenza
<b>EOPARD, EPHERD, EPPERED</b>			
jeopard	leopard	peppered	shepherd
<b>EOPLE (see EPLE)</b>			
<b>EPER (see EPPER)</b>			
<b>EPHERD (see EOPARD)</b>			
<b>EPPER, EPER</b>			
leper	pepper	high-stepper	
<b>EPSY</b>	dyspepsy	epilepsy	
<b>EPTER (see EPTRE)</b>			
<b>EPtic</b>	septic	eupptic	epileptic
<b>sceptic</b>	dyspeptic	antiseptic	

<b>EPTION</b>			
accepton	exception	reception	preconception
adeption	inception	surreption	
conception	obreption	susception	
deception	perception	misperception	
<b>EPTOR, EPTRE</b>			
sceptre	acceptor	preceptor	interceptor
<b>EQUAL, EQUEL</b>			
equal	sequel	coequal	unequal
<b>EQUENCE</b>	frequence	sequence	
<b>EQUER</b> ( <i>see ECKER</i> )			
<b>ERA</b>	era	chimera	
<b>ERBAL, URBLE</b>			
burble	herbal	verbal	
<b>ERBET</b> ( <i>see URBOT</i> )			
<b>ERBLESS</b> ( <i>see ERB</i> )			
<b>ERCER</b> ( <i>see URSAR</i> )			
<b>ERCHER, EARCHER, URCHER, URTURE</b>			
lurcher	nurture	percher	searcher, etc. ( <i>see EARCH</i> )
<b>ERCHLESS</b> ( <i>see EARCH</i> )			
<b>ERCIAL, ERSIAL</b>	commercial	controversial	
<b>ERCIVE, ERSIVE</b>			
abstervative	detersive	excursive	
coercive	discursive	subversive	
conversive	discursive	animadver-	
		sive	
<b>ERCY, ERSY, URSY</b>			
mercy	pursy	controversy	
nursy	gramercy		
<b>ERDLESS</b> ( <i>see EARD</i> )			
<b>ERDON</b> ( <i>see URDEN</i> )			
<b>ERDURE</b> ( <i>see ERGER</i> )			
<b>EREAL</b> ( <i>see ERIAL</i> )			
<b>ERELESS</b> ( <i>see EAR</i> )			

**ERELY, EARLY, EERLY**

cheerly	merely	queerly	severely
clearly	nearly	sheerly	sincerely
dearly	peerly	austerely	cavalierly

**ERENCE (see EARANCE)****ERENT (*short*) (see ERRANT)****ERFLESS (see ERF)****ERGENCE**

convergence	divergence	emergence
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**ERGENT, URGENT**

turgent	abstergent	detergent	emergent
urgent	convergent	divergent	

**ERGEON (see URGEON)****ERGER, ERJURE, ERDURE, URGER**

merger	purger	urger	verger
perjure	scourger	verdure	

**ERGING, etc.**

urging	converging	diverging, etc. (sec ERGE)	
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**ERGY, URGY**

clergy	scourgy	surgy
dirgy	sergy	liturgy

**ERIAL, EREAL**

cereal	ethereal	material	ministerial
serial	funereal	immaterial	
arterial	imperial	magisterial	

**ERIAN (see ERION)****ERIC, ERRIC, ERRICK**

derrick	generic	esoteric	neoteric
ferric	hysteric	exoteric	
spheric	climacteric	hemispheric	

**ERIES**

series	congeries
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**ERIL, ERILE, ERYL**

beryl	peril	sterile
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**ERION, ERIAN**

criterion	hyperion	valerian	presbyterian
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**ERIOR (see ERIER)****ERIOUS**

serious	imperious	mysterious	deleterious
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<b>ERIST.</b>	<b>EAREST</b>		
dearest	querist	theorist, etc. (see EAR)	
<b>ERIT</b>			
merit	demerit	inherit	disinherit
<b>ERJURE</b> (see ERGER)			
<b>ERKER</b> (see IRKER)			
<b>ERKIN, IRKIN</b>			
firkin	gherkin	jerkin	
<b>ERKLESS</b> (see ERK)			
<b>ERKY</b> (see URKEY)			
<b>ERLING, EARLING, IRLING, URLING</b>			
curling	hurling	purling	whirling
furling	pearling	sterling	yearling
<b>ERMAN, ERMON</b>			
german	sermon		
<b>ERMENT</b>			
ferment	determent	preferment	
averment	interment		
<b>IRMER</b> (see IRMER)			
<b>ERMIN, ERMINE</b>			
ermine	vermin	determine	predetermine
<b>ERMLESS</b> (see ERM)			
<b>IRMLY</b> (see IRMLY)			
<b>ERMON</b> (see ERMAN)			
<b>ERNAL, ERNEL, OLONEL, OURNAL, URNAL</b>			
colonel	diurnal	internal	supernal
journal	eternal	maternal	hodiernal
kernel	external	nocturnal	semipaternal
vernal	infernal	paternal	
<b>ERNATE</b>			
	alternate	gurnet	
<b>ERNEL</b> (see ERNAL)			
<b>ERNION</b> (see URNIAN)			
<b>ERNLESS</b> (see EARN)			
<b>IRMLY, EARNLY</b>			
dearnly	sternly	eternally, etc.	
<b>ERNNESS</b> (see URNACE)			
<b>ERNY</b> (see OURNEY)			

**ERO**

hero	zero	sombrero
pierrot	montero	

**ERPLE (see URPLE)****ERRAND, ERUND**

errand      gerund

**ERRANT, ERENT**

errant      gerent      knight-errant vicegerent

**ERRIC, ERRICK (see ERIC)****ERRIER**

burier      merrier      terrier, etc. (see ERRY)

**ERRING**

derring      herring

**ERROR**

error      terror

**ERRULE (see ERULE)****ERRY**

berry	derry	merry	sherry
bury	ferry	perry	very
cherry	lerry	serry	wherry

**ERSELESS (see ERCE)****ERSEY, URZY**

furzy      jersey      kersey

**ERSIAL (see ERCIAL)****ERSIAN, ERSION, ERTIAN, ERTION, URSION, ERCION**

mersian	coercion	emersion	perversion
persian	conversion	excursion	reversion
ertian	desersion	exertion	subversion
version	desertion	immersion	intersertion
abstersion	detersian	incursion	interspersion
aspersion	dispersion	insertion	animadver-
assertion	diversion	inversion	sion

**ERSIVE (see ERCIVE)****ERSON, ORSEN**

person      worsen

**ERTAIN, URTAIN**

certain      curtain      uncertain

**ERTER**

asserter  
converter

deserter  
diverter

perveter  
animadverter

**ERTEST** (*see ERTIST*)

**ERTFUL** (*see URTFUL*)

**ERTHLESS** (*see EARTH*)

**ERTIAN** (*see ERSIAN*)

**ERTING**

diverting, etc. (*see ERT*)

**ERTION** (*see ERSIAN*)

**ERTIST, etc.**

controvertist

hurtest, etc. (*see ERT*)

**ERTIVE**

assertive

divertive

**ERTLY, URTLY**

curtly apertly  
pertly expertly

inertly overtly

malapertly

**ERULE, ERRULE**

ferule

ferrule

spherule

**ERVANT, ERVENT**

fervent servant

eye-servant

observant

**ERVELESS** (*see ERVE*)

**ERVER** (*see ERVOUR*)

**ERVID**

fervid

scurvied

perfervid

**ERVING**

time-serving, etc. (*see ERVE*)

**ERVISH**

dervish

nervish

**ERVOUR, ERVER**

fervour  
server

swerver  
observer

preserver  
time-server,  
etc. (*see ERVE*)

**ERVY, URVY**

nervy scurvy

swervy

topsy-turvy

**ERY** (*see EARY and ERRY*)

**ERYL** (*see ERIL*)

**EsAGE, ESSAGE**

message

presage

**ESCIENCE, ESSENCE**

essence	quiescence	acquiescence	effervescence
excrescence	quintessence	adolescence	efflorescence
pubescence	senescence	coalescence	obsolescence
putrescence	turgescence	convalescence	

**ESCIENCE**

nescience      prescience

**ESELESS (see EASE)****ESENCE, EASANCE**

pleasance      presence      omnipresence

**ESENT (see EASANT)****ESHER (see ESSURE)****ESHLESS (see ESH)****ESHLY**

fleshly      freshly

**ESHY**

fleshy      meshy

**ESION**

lesion-      adhesion      cohesion      inhesion

**ESIS**

thesis      exegesis      aposiopesis

**Esive**

adhesive      cohesive

**Esom**

besom      threesome

**ESSANT, ESCENT**

crescent	liquefiant	convalescent	evanescent
decrescent	nigrescent	deliquescent	obsolescent
ex crescent	putrescent	effervescent	recrudescence
incessant	quiescent	efflorescent	etc.

**ESSEL (see ESTLE)****ESSER, ESSOR**

dresser	assessor	possessor	antecessor
lesser	confessor	professor	intercessor
lessor	depressor	successor	predecessor,
aggressor	oppressor	transgressor	etc. (see Ess)

**Essful**

distressful      successful      unsuccessful

**ESSING**

blessing      dressing      pressing, etc. (see Ess)

**ESSION, ETION**

session	discretion	procession	suppression
accession	egression	profession	transgression
aggression	expression	progression	indiscretion
compression	impression	recession	intercession
concession	obsession	regression	Introgression
confession	oppression	repression	prepossession
depression	possession	secession	retrocession
digression	precession	succession	retrogression

**ESSIVE**

aggressive	expressive	progressive	successive
congressive	impressive	recessive	suppressive
digressive	oppressive	redressive	transgressive
excessive	possessive	repressive	retrogressive

**ESSLESS (see ESS)****ESSOR (see ESSER)****ESSURE, ESHER**

fresher	pressure	thresher	refresher, etc. (see ESH)
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**ESTAL, ESTLE**

	pestle	vestal	
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**ESTER**

fester	pester	wrestler	protester
jester	tester	digestor	sequester, etc. (see EST)

**ESTIAL**

	bestial	celestial	
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**ESTIC**

	domestic	majestic	
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**ESTINE**

destine	clandestine	intestine	predestine
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**ESTIVE**

estive	festive	restive	digestive
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**ESTLE (T sounded) (see ESTAL)****ESTLE (silent T), ESEL**

nestle	trestle	vessel	wrestle
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**ESTLER (see ESTLE)****ESTLESS (see EST)****ESTO**

	presto	manifesto
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<b>ESTRAL, ESTREL</b>	ancestral	<i>kestrel</i>	
<b>ESTRY</b>	vestry	<i>festery, etc.</i> ( <i>see ESTER</i> )	
<b>ESTURE</b>	gesture	<b>vesture</b>	divesture
<b>ESTY</b>	breasty	resty	<i>yesty</i>
	chesty	testy	
<b>ETAIL</b>	detail	retail	sea-tale
			sweet-ale
<b>ETAL</b> ( <i>see ETTLE</i> )			
<b>ETCHLESS</b> ( <i>see ETCH</i> )			
<b>ETCHY</b>	sketchy	tetchy	
<b>ETELY, EATLY, EETLY</b>			
featly	neatly	concretely	obsoletely
fleetly	sweetly	discreetly	
meetly	completely	indiscreetly	
<b>ETEMENT</b> ( <i>see EATMENT</i> )			
<b>ETEOR</b> ( <i>see EATURE</i> )			
<b>ETFUL</b>	fretful	netful	forgetful
			regretful
<b>ETHER</b> ( <i>short</i> ) ( <i>see EATHER</i> )			
<b>ETI</b> ( <i>see ETTY</i> )			
<b>ETIO</b>			
<b>esthetic</b>	phrenetic	energetic	
ascetic	poetic	hypothetic	
athletic	prophetic	plethoraetic	
cosmetic	synthetic	sympathetic	
emetic	arithmetic (adj.,	theoretic	
magnetic	diletic	apologetic	
pathetic		peripatetic	
<b>ETION, ECIAN</b>			
grecian	completion	excretion	secretion
accretion	depletion	repletion	
<b>ETION</b> ( <i>short</i> ) ( <i>see ESSION</i> )			
<b>ETIOUS</b> ( <i>short</i> ) ( <i>see ECIOUS</i> )			
<b>ETISH</b> ( <i>see ETTISH</i> )			

<b>EATIST, EATEST, ETEST</b>			
eatest	sweetest	decretist, etc (see EAT)	
<b>ETIVE</b>	expletive	secretive	
<b>ETLESS (see ET)</b>			
<b>ETOR, ETRE, ETER</b>			
eater	meter	sweeter	
heater	metre	beefeater	saltpetre, etc.
litre	praetor	repeater	(see EAT)
<b>ETHAM, ETSOME</b>			
	jetsam	fretsone	
<b>ETTEN</b>	threaten	wetten	
<b>ETTER, ETTOR, EBTOR</b>			
better	getter	whetter	forgetter
bettor	letter	abettor	unfetter, etc.
debtor	setter	begetter	
fetter	wetter]	enfetter	(see ET)
<b>ETTI (see ETTY)</b>			
<b>ETTISH, ETISH</b>			
fetish	frettish	pettish	wettish
<b>ETTLE, ETAL</b>			
fettle	metal	nettle	settle
kettle	mettle	petal	unsettle
<b>ETTLING (see ETTLE)</b>			
<b>ETTO</b>			
petto	palmetto	amadetto	
corvetto	stiletto	lazaretto	
<b>ETTOR (see ETTER)</b>			
<b>ETTY, ETI, ETTI</b>			
betty	jetty	sweaty	
fretty	petty	confetti	spermaceti
<b>EUDAL (see OODLE)</b>			
<b>EUDLESS (see OOD)</b>			
<b>EUM</b>			
museum	Te Deum	mausoleum	peritoneum
<b>EUTER (see OOTER)</b>			

<b>EVAL, EVIL</b>			
evil	co-eval		medieval
weevil	primeval		
<b>EVEL</b>			
bevel	level		bedevil
devil	revel		dishevel
<b>EVELESS</b> ( <i>see EVE</i> )			
<b>EVEN</b> ( <i>short</i> ) ( <i>see EAVEN</i> )			
<b>EVER</b> ( <i>long</i> ) ( <i>see EAVER</i> )			
<b>EVER</b> ( <i>short</i> ), <b>EAOUR</b>			
clever	assever	whatever	whatsoever.
ever	dissever	whenever	etc.
never	endeavour	wherever	
sever	however	whoever	
<b>EVIL</b> ( <i>long</i> ) ( <i>see EVAL</i> )			
<b>EVIL</b> ( <i>short</i> ) ( <i>see EVEL</i> )			
<b>EVIOUS</b>	devious	previous	
<b>EVY, EAVY</b>			
bevy	heavy	levy	levée
<b>EWAGE</b> ( <i>see UAGE</i> )			
<b>EWAL</b> ( <i>see UAL</i> )			
<b>EWARD, EWERED</b>			
leeward	sewered		cured, etc.
steward	skewered		
( <i>See OOR, one syllable</i> )			
<b>EWDLY, UDELY</b>			
crudely	rudely		
lewdly	shrewdly		feudally
<b>EWER</b> ( <i>see OOR, one syllable</i> )			
<b>EWESS</b> ( <i>see EWIS</i> )			
<b>EWISH, UEISH</b>			
blueish	jewish		shrewish
<b>EWIS</b>			
	brewis	jewess	
<b>EWLESS</b> ( <i>see EW</i> )			
<b>EWLY</b> ( <i>see ULY</i> )			
<b>EWRY</b> ( <i>see URY</i> )			
<b>EWTER</b> ( <i>see OOTER</i> )			
<b>EWY</b> ( <i>see UEY</i> )			

**EXER** (*see EXOR*)**EXILE**

exile

flexile

**EXION** (*see ECTION*)**EXLESS** (*see EX*)**EXOR, EXER**

flexor

annexer

convexer

vexer

complexer

perplexer

**EXTANT**

extant

sextant

**EXTILE**

sextile

textile

bissextile

**EY**

kecksy

sexy

apoplexy

**EYANCE**

séance

conveyance

purveyance

**EYDAY** (*see AYDAY*)**EYELESS** (*see Y*)**EYLESS** (*see E and AY*)**EYSER** (*see EEZER*)**IAD, YAD**

diad

najad

jeremiad

dryad

hamadryad

**IAL, IOL**

dial

trial

viol

denial

phial

vial

decrial

retrial

**IANCE, IENCE**

science

alliance

compliance

reliance

affiance

appliance

defiance

**IANT, IENT**

client

pliant

defiant

self-reliant

giant

compliant

reliant

**IAR** (*see IRE, one syllable*)**IAS, IOUS, LAS**

bias

pious

niisi prius

ananiias

**IAT, IATE, IET, IOT, YOT**

diet

quiet

ryot

disquiet

flat

riot

striate

**IBAL** (*see IBLE*)

<b>IBALD, IBBLED</b>	dibbled dribbled	nibbled quibbled	ribald scribbled
<b>IBBER</b>	bibber cribber	fibber gibber	glibber wine-bibber
<b>IBBET, IBIT</b>	gibbet cohibit	exhibit Inhibit	prohibit
<b>IBBLE</b>	cribble dibble	dribble fribble	nibble quibble
<b>IBBLER (see IBBLE)</b>			
<b>IBEL (see IBLE)</b>			
<b>IBELESS (see IBE)</b>			
<b>IBER (see IBRE)</b>			
<b>IBIT (see IBBET)</b>			
<b>IBLE, IBAL, IBEL</b>	bible	libel	tribal
<b>IBLESS (see IB)</b>			
<b>IBLET</b>	driblet	giblet	triblet
<b>IBLY, IBLY</b>	dribbly fribbly	glibly nibbly	quibbly scribbly
<b>IBRE, IBER</b>	briber fibre	giber imbiber	subscriber, etc. (see IBE)
<b>ICAR, ICKER, IQUOR</b>	bicker clicker flicker	liquor picker quicker	sicker snicker tricker
<b>ICELESS (see ICE)</b>			
<b>ICELY, ISELY</b>	nicely	pricely	concisely
<b>ICHEN (see IKEN)</b>			precisely
<b>ICHES, EECHEES, ITCHES</b>	breeches	riches	witches, etc. (see ICH)
<b>ICLESS (see ITCH)</b>			

**ICHLY, ITCHLY**

richly

witchly

**ICIAL, ITIAL**

initial

official

beneficial

superficial

judicial

artificial

prejudicial

**ICIAN, ICIAN, ITION, ISSION**

mission

nutrition

ammunition

intuition

addition

omission

apparition

manumission

dition

optician

apposition

mechanician

admission

partition

circultion

opposition

ambition

patrician

coalition

parturition

attrition

perdition

composition

politician

audition

permission

competition

precognition

cognition

petition

definition

premonition

coition

physician

demolition

premunition

commission

position

deposition

preposition

condition

prodition

disposition

preterition

coutrition

reddition

disquisition

pretermission

dentition

remission

ebullition

prohibition

detrition

rendition

emolition

proposition

edition

sedition

erudition

readmission

emission

submission

exhibition

recognition

fruition

suspicion

expedition

repetition

ignition

transition

exposition

reposition

insition

transmission

imposition

requisition

logician

tuition

inanition

rhetorician

magician

volition

inhibition

superstition

monition

abolition

inquisition

supposition

munition

acquisition

intermission

transposition

musician

admonition

intromission

academician

arithmetician

indisposition

predisposition

circumposition

interposition

presupposition

contraposition

juxtaposition

recomposition

decomposition

mathematician

geometrician

metaphysician

**ICENT**

deficient

omniscient

sufficient

coefficient

efficient

proficient

all-sufficient

insufficient

**ICION (see ICIAN)****ICIOUS, ITIOUS**

vicious

capricious

factitious

judicious

ambitious

cilicious

fictitious

malicious

auspicious

delicious

flagitious

nutritious

**ACTIOUS, ITIous—continued**

officious	adventitious	meretricious	<i>fishes, etc.</i>
pernicious	avaricious	suppositious	(see ISH)
propitious	inauspicious	superstitious	
seditious	injudicious	surreptitious	
suspicious	insuspicious	supposititious	

**ICKEN**

quicken	stricken	chicken
sicken	thicken	

**ICKENING**

quickening	sickening	thickening	strychnine
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**ICKER (see ICAR)****ICKET**

clicket	pricket	snicket	ticket
cricket	smicket	thicket	wicket

**ICKETS**

Add s to above, also rickets

**ICKING**

licking	ticking, etc. (see IC)
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**ICKLE**

fickle	prickle	strickle
mickle	sickle	tickle
pickle	stickle	trickle

**ICKLER (see ICKLE)****ICKLESS (see IC)****ICKLING**

chickling	tickling, etc. (see ICKLE)
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**ICKLY**

fickly	quickly	stickly
prickly	sickly	thickly

**ICKSET**

quickset	thickset
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**ICKSHAW**

kickshaw	rickshaw
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**ICKSY**

dixie	pixie	tricksy
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**ICKY**

bricky	kicky	thicky
chicky	sticky	tricky

**ICON (see IKEN)**

**IOTER, ICTOR**lictor  
victorconstricter  
inflicterpredicter  
boa-constrictor, etc.  
(see IOT)**ICTION, IXION**

dition	affriction	infliction	contradiction
fiction	astriction	obstruction	crucifixion
friction	commixion	prediction	dereliction
addiction	constriction	prefixion	interdiction
adstriction	conviction	restriction	jurisdiction
affixion	eviction	reviction	malediction
affliction	indiction	benediction	valediction

**ICTIVE**

affictive	constrictive	inflictive	vindictive
astrictive	convictive	restrictive	

**ICTLESS (see ICT)****ICTMENT (see ITEMENT)****ICTUAL (see ITTLE)****ICTURE**

picture      stricture

**ICY**

icy      spicy      vive (latin,

**IDAL (see IDLE)****IDAY (see IDY)****IDDEN**

bidden	hidden	ridden	priest-ridden
chidden	midden	hag-ridden	unbidden

**IDDING**

bidding      riddling, etc. (see ID

**IDDLE**diddle      middle      tiddle  
fiddle      riddle      taradiddle**IDDLER (see IDDLE)****IDDY**

giddy      kiddy      niddy

**IDELESS (see IDE)****IDELEY (see IDLY)****IDEN, IDON**

guidon      widen

<b>IDENT, IDANT</b>			
guidant		strident	dividant
rident		trident	
<b>IDEOUS, IDIOUS</b>			
hideous	insidious	lapideous	parricidious
fastidious	invidious	perfidious	stillicidious
<b>IDER</b>			
cider	spider	provider, etc. (see IDE)	
guider	backslider		
<b>IDGELESS (see IDGE)</b>			
<b>IDGEON (see YGLAN)</b>			
<b>IDGET</b>			
	fidget	midget	
<b>IDGY</b>			
	midgy	ridgy	
<b>IDIAN</b>			
	meridian	quotidian	
<b>IDING (see IDE)</b>			
<b>IDINGS</b>			
	tidings	ridings, etc. (see IDE)	
<b>IDIOM, IDIUM</b>			
	Idiom	meridium	
<b>IDLE, IDAL, IDOL, IDYL</b>			
bridal	idol		homicidal
bridle	idyl		parricidal
idle	sidle		suicidal, etc.
<b>IDLER (see IDLE)</b>			
<b>IDLESS (see ID)</b>			
<b>IDLING (long) (see IDLE)</b>			
<b>IDLING (short!), IDDLING</b>			
fiddling	middling		tiddling
kidling	riddling		
<b>IDLY</b>			
	idly	widely	
<b>IDOW</b>			
	widow	lerer-de-rideau	
<b>IDY, IDAY</b>			
friday	sidy		tidy
<b>IEFLESS (see EEF)</b>			

## IEFLY

briefly chiefly

IEGELESS (*see IEGE*)IELDLESS (*see EALD*)IELESS (*see Y*)IENDLESS (*see END*)ILENT (*see IANT*)IER (*see IRE, one syllable*)IERSLESS (*see EAR*)

## IERS

pliers, etc. (*see IRE, one syllable*)IERY (*see IRY*)IESTLY (*see EASTLY*)IET (*see IAT*)

## IETY

piety	sobriety	contrariety	insobriety
anxiety	society	impropriety	notoriety
satiety	propriety	inebriety	
	variety		

IEVELESS (*see EAVE*)IFELESS (*see IFE*)

## IFELY

rifely wifely

IFER (*see IPHER*)

## IFFIN

griffin tiffin

## IFFLE

piffle whiffle

IFFLESS (*see IF*)

## IFFLY

piffly stiffly whiffly

## IFIC, YPHIC

horrible	rubific	beatific	scientific
pacific	specific	calorific	soporific
prolific	terrific	hieroglyphic	

## IFLE

rifle stifle trifle

## IFLING

rising stifling trifling wifeling

## IFFER

drifter shoplifter, etc. (*see IFF*)

<b>IFTLESS</b>	shiftless	thriftless, etc. ( <i>see IFT<sup>1</sup></i> )	
<b>IFTY</b>	rifty shifty	thrifty	
<b>IGATE, IGOT</b>	frigate	gigot	splgot
<b>IGEST</b>	digest (noun)	obligest	
<b>IGEON</b> ( <i>see YGLAN</i> )			
<b>IGGARD, IGURED, IGGERED</b>	jiggered	niggard	triggered, etc. ( <i>see ICKER</i> )
<b>IGGER, IGOUR, IGURE</b>			
bigger	rigger	configure	transfigure
figure	rigour	disfigure	market-rigger
jigger	trigger	outrigger	etc. ( <i>see IG</i> )
nigger	vigour	prefigure	
<b>IGGIN</b>	biggin	piggin	
<b>IGGING</b>	rigging	wigging, etc. ( <i>see IG</i> )	
<b>IGGLE</b>			
giggle	sniggle	wriggle	
higgle	wiggle		
<b>IGGLY</b> ( <i>see IGLY</i> )			
<b>IGHER</b> ( <i>see IRE, one syllable</i> )			
<b>IGHLAND, ISLAND</b>	highland	island	
<b>IGHLESS</b> ( <i>see Y</i> )			
<b>IGHLY</b> ( <i>see ILY</i> )			
<b>IGHNESS, INESS</b> ( <i>see Y, long</i> )			
<b>IGHTEM, ITEN</b>			
brighten	lighten	whiten	
heighten	tighten	enlighten	
<b>IGHTER, ITRE</b>			
biter	lighter	nitre	prize-fighter
fighter	mitre	backbiter	underwriter, etc. ( <i>see ITE</i> )
<b>IGHTLESS</b> ( <i>see ITE</i> )			
<b>IGHTLY</b> ( <i>see ITELY</i> )			

<b>I</b> GHTNING			
brightening	lightning	whitening, etc. (see <b>I</b> IGHTEN)	
<b>I</b> GHTY			
blighty	mighty	nightie	almighty
flighty	mitey	whitey	hightly-tighty
<b>I</b> GIL			
	sigil	vigil	
<b>I</b> GIION (see <b>Y</b> GLAN)			
<b>I</b> GIOUS			
litigious	religious	irreligious	sacrilegious
<b>I</b> GLESS (see <b>I</b> G)			
<b>I</b> GLY, <b>I</b> GGLY			
blgly		higgly	sniggly
giggly		niggly	wriggly
<b>I</b> GMA			
	stigma	enigma	
<b>I</b> GMENT			
figment		pigment	striment
<b>I</b> GNANT			
benignant		indignant	malignant
<b>I</b> gneous			
	igneous	igneous	
<b>I</b> GNING (see <b>I</b> NING)			
<b>I</b> GNBESS (see <b>I</b> NH)			
<b>I</b> GNLY (see <b>I</b> NELY)			
<b>I</b> GNMENT, <b>I</b> NEMENT			
alignment		confinement	refinement
assignment		consignment	
<b>I</b> GOT (see <b>I</b> GATE)			
<b>I</b> GOUR (see <b>I</b> gger)			
<b>I</b> GUER (see <b>E</b> AGRE)			
<b>I</b> GUOUS			
ambiguous		contiguous	exiguous
<b>I</b> IGURE (see <b>I</b> gger)			
<b>I</b> KELESS (see <b>I</b> KE)			
<b>I</b> KEN, <b>I</b> CON, <b>I</b> CHEN			
icon		lichen	liken

<b>I</b> KING			
biking	liking	spiking	viking
diking	piking	striking	disliking
<b>I</b> LAX, <b>I</b> LACS	lilacs	smilax	
<b>I</b> LDER			
builder	gilder	guild	bewilder
<b>I</b> LDERING, <b>I</b> LDREN	children	<i>bewildering</i>	
<b>I</b> LDING	building	gilding	
<b>I</b> LDISH	childish	mildish	wildish
<b>I</b> LDLY	mildly	wildly	
<b>I</b> LDREN ( <i>see</i> ILDERING)			
<b>I</b> LELESS ( <i>see</i> ILE)			
<b>I</b> LER ( <i>see</i> ILE)			
<b>I</b> LFUL	skilful	wilful	
<b>I</b> LLIAN, <b>I</b> LLION, <b>I</b> LIION, <b>I</b> LLON			
billion	carillon	pavilion	vermillion
million, etc.	civilian	postillion	
pillion	cotillon	reptilian	
<b>I</b> LLIENT ( <i>see</i> ILLIANT)			
<b>I</b> LING ( <i>see</i> ILE)			
<b>I</b> LIION ( <i>see</i> ILLIAN)			
<b>I</b> LLIOUS			
bilious	punctilious	atrabilious	supercilious
<b>I</b> LKEN			
	milken	silken	
<b>I</b> LKLESS ( <i>see</i> ILK)			
<b>I</b> LVY			
	milky	silky	
<b>I</b> LLA			
villa		vanilla	sarsaparilla
<b>I</b> LLAGE			
pillage	stillage	tillage	village
<b>I</b> LLAIN			
villain	villein	medillon	manillan

<b>ILLAR, ILLER</b>			
chiller	miller	billar	caterpillar, etc. ( <i>see ILL</i> )
<b>ILLET</b>			
billet		millet	rillet
fillet		quillet	skillet
<b>ILLIANT</b>	brilliant	resilient	
<b>ILLIARDS</b>			
billiards		milliards	<i>mill-yards</i>
<b>ILLING</b>			
shilling	willing		unwilling, etc. ( <i>see ILL</i> )
<b>ILLION</b> ( <i>see ILIAN</i> )			
<b>ILL-LESS</b> ( <i>see IL</i> )			
<b>ILLO, ILLOW</b>			
billow		willow	peccadillo
pillow		armadillo	
<b>ILLON</b> ( <i>see ILIAN</i> )			
<b>ILLY, ILY</b> ( <i>short</i> )			
billy	frilly	illy	stilly
chilly	gillie	shrilly	willy-nilly
filly	hilly	silly	
<b>ILOM</b> ( <i>see YLUM</i> )			
<b>ILTER, ILTRE</b>			
filter	milter	quilter	wilter
jilter	philtre	tilter	
<b>ILTLESS</b> ( <i>see ILT</i> )			
<b>ILY</b> ( <i>long</i> ), <b>ILELY</b>			
drily	shily	vilely	servilely
highly	shily	wily	
nighly	tily	fertilel,	
<b>ILY</b> ( <i>short</i> ) ( <i>see ILLY</i> )			
<b>IMAGE</b>	Image	scrummage	
<b>IMATE</b>	climate	primate	
<b>IMBER</b>	limber	timber	unlimber

[IMBLE, YMBAL, YMBOL cymbal	nimble	thimble	wimble
gimble	symbol	tymbal	
[MBO	limbo	akimbo	
[MELESS ( <i>see IME</i> )			
[MELY			
primely	timely	sublimely	untimely
[MER ( <i>short!</i> ) ( <i>see IMMAR</i> )			
[MER, YMER. ( <i>see IME</i> )			
[MIC, YMIC			
chymic		mimic	patronymic
[MID			
	timid	jimmied	
[MING, YMING			
	priming	rhyming, etc. ( <i>see IME</i> )	
[MLESS ( <i>see IM</i> )			
[MLY			
dimly		grimly	trimly
[MMER, IMER			
brimmer		nimmer	skimmer
dimmer		primer	swimmer
glimmer		simmer	trimmer, etc. ( <i>see IM</i> )
[MMING			
brimming	swimming	trimming, etc. ( <i>see IM</i> )	
[MNEY			
chimney	simony	nimini-pimini	
[MPER			
gimper	shrimper	whimper, etc. ( <i>see IMP</i> )	
limper	simper		
[MPLE			
crimble		pimple	simple
dimple		rimple	wimple
[MPLESS ( <i>see IMP</i> )			
[MLPLING			
crimpling		impling	rimpling
dimpling		dimpling	shrimpling

<b>IMPLY</b>			
crimply		limply	simply
dimplly		pimply	
<b>IMSY</b>	flimsy	whimsy	
<b>IMY</b>			
blimey	limy	rimy	slimy
<b>INAL</b>			
<b>INBORN</b>	final	spinal	
	inborn	twinborn	
<b>INCELESS</b> ( <i>see INCE</i> )			
<b>INCERS</b>	pincers	wincers, etc. ( <i>see INCE</i> )	
<b>INCEST</b>	incest	wincest, etc. ( <i>see INCE</i> )	
<b>INCHER</b>	clincher	flincher	pincher
<b>INCHLESS</b> ( <i>see INCH</i> )			
<b>INCOME, INKUM</b>	crinkum	income	
<b>INCTLY</b>	distinctly	succinctly	indistinctly
<b>INOTURE</b>	cincture	tincture	vincture
<b>INDER</b> ( <i>long</i> ) ( <i>see IND</i> )			
<b>INDER</b>	cinder	hinder	tinder
<b>INDING</b> ( <i>see IND</i> )			
<b>INDLE</b>			
brindle	kindle	swindle	rekindle
dwindle	spindle	windle	
<b>INDLESS</b> ( <i>see IND</i> )			
<b>INDLY</b>	blindly	kindly	unkindly
<b>INDNESS</b> ( <i>see IND</i> )			
<b>INDY</b>	findy	shindy	windy

<b>INEAR, INNIER</b>			
finnier	linear	skinnier	whinnier
<b>LNELESS (see INE)</b>			
<b>INELY, IGNLY</b>			
finely		condignly	supinely
benignly		malignly	superfinely
<b>INER, IGNER</b>			
finer	minor	designer	maligner
miner	assigner	diviner	resigner, etc. (see INE)
<b>INET, INNET, INUTE</b>			
ginnet	linnet	minute	spinet
<b>INEW, INUE</b>			
sinew		continue	discontinue
<b>INEYARD</b>			
	vineyard	winyard	
<b>INFUL</b>			
	sinful	skinful	
<b>INGELESS (see INGE)</b>			
<b>INGENT</b>			
stringent		astringent	pertinent
tingent		contingent	restringent
<b>INGER (hard G)</b>			
finger	linger	singer, etc. (see ING)	
<b>INGER (soft G), INJURE</b>			
cringer	ginger	injure	infringer, etc. (see INGE)
<b>INGING (see ING)</b>			
<b>INGLE</b>			
cingle	mingle	swingle	intermingle
cringle	shingle	tingle	
dingle	single	commingle	
jingle	springle	surcingle	
<b>INGLESS (see ING)</b>			
<b>INGLING</b>			
kingling	singling	wingling, etc. (see INGLE)	
<b>INGLY</b>			
jingly	mingly	singly	tingly, etc.
kingly	shingly	springly,	(see ING and INGLE)

## INGO

lingo

stingo

eringo

INGY (*hard a*)

clingy

stringy

wingy

springy

swingy

INGY (*soft a*)

cringy

stingy

twingy

fringy

swingy

INTIAN (*see INTION*)

## INTIO

clinic

cynic

## INING, IGNING

lining

designing

repining

undesigning,  
etc (*see INE*)

## ITION, INTIAN

minion

dominion

virginian

pinion

opinion

INTISH (*short*), INNISH

finish

minish

thinnish

diminish

INTISH (*long*)

brinish

swinish

INJURE (*see INGER*)

## INKER

drinker

thinker

tinker, etc. (*see INK*)INKING (*see INK*)

## INKLE

crinkle

tinkle

winkle

besprinkle

sprinkle

twinkle

wrinkle

periwinkle

INKLESS (*see INK*)

## INKLING

inkling

sprinkling

twinkling, etc. (*see INKLE*)INKUM (*see INCOME*)

## INKY

chinky

dinky

inky

pinky

INLESS (*see IN*)

## INLY

inly

thinly

INNEE			
dinner	pinner	spinner	winner
inner	sinner	tinner	beginner, etc. (see IN)
INNET (see INET)			
INNEY (see INNY)			
INNING			
sinning	winning	beginning, etc. (see IN)	
INNINGS			
	innings, etc. (see IN)		
INNOW			
	minnow	winnow	
INNY, INNEY			
finny	ninny	spinney	
hinny	pinny	whinny	
jинny	skinny	ignominy	
INO			
	lino	rhino	
INOR (see INER)			
INSTER			
	minster	spinster	
INTAL, INTEL			
	lintel	quintal	
INTER			
dinter	minter	splinter	winter
hinter	printer	sprinter	
INTLESS (see INT)			
INTRY			
	splintery	vintry	wintry
INTY			
	dinty	hinky	squinty
	flinty	minty	
INUE (see INEW)			
INUOUS			
	sinuous	continuous	
INUS, INOUS			
minus	spinous	echinus	
sinus	vinous		
INUTE (see INET)			

<b>INY</b>			
briny	shiny	tiny	winy
liny	spiny	twiny	
<b>ION</b>			
iron	lion	scion	orion
<b>IORESS</b> ( <i>see IRIS</i> )			
<b>IOT</b> ( <i>see IAT</i> )			
<b>IOUS</b> ( <i>see LAS</i> )			
<b>IPED</b>	biped	parallelopiped	
<b>IPLESS</b> ( <i>see IPE</i> )			
<b>IPEND, IPENED</b>	ripened	stipend	
<b>IPER, YPER</b>			
piper	sniper	typer	wiper
riper	striper	viper	
<b>IPHES, IFER</b>			
cipher	lifer	rifer	decipher
<b>IPHON</b> ( <i>see YPHEN</i> )			
<b>IPING</b>	pipimg, etc. ( <i>see IPE</i> )		
<b>IPLE (long), YPAL</b>	disciple	archetypal	
<b>IPLE (short), IPPLE</b>			
cripple	ripple	tipple	
nipple	stipple	triple	
<b>IPLESS</b> ( <i>see IP</i> )			
<b>IPLING, IPPLING</b>			
crippling	stippling	tippling	
rippling	stripling		
<b>IPPER</b>			
clipper	shipper	slipper, etc.	
dipper	skipper	( <i>see IP</i> )	
<b>IPPET</b>			
sippet	skippet	tippet	whippet
<b>IPPING</b>			
chipping	dripping	shipping	tripping, etc.
			( <i>see IR</i> )
<b>IPPLE</b> ( <i>see IPLE</i> )			

<b>IFFY</b>			
chippy	nippy	snippy	trippy
drippy	slippy	strippy	whippy
<b>IPSTAFF</b>	tipstaff	whipstaff	
<b>IPSY</b>			
gipsy	tipsy		ipse
<b>IPTIC, YPTIC</b>			
cryptic	styptic	ecliptic	elliptic
<b>IQUANT, ECANT</b>			
piquant	secant	cosecant	intersecant
<b>IQUELY (see EEKLY)</b>			
<b>IQUOR (see ICAR)</b>			
<b>IRANT, IRENT, YRANT</b>			
tyrant	virent	aspirant	conspirant
<b>IRATE, YRATE</b>			
gyrate	pirate		irate
<b>IRCHEN, URCHIN</b>			
birchen		urchin	
<b>IRCHLESS (see EARCH)</b>			
<b>IRCLING, URKLING</b>			
circling		turkling	
<b>IRDAR, IRDER, URDER</b>			
girder	murder	sirdar	absurder, etc. (see EARD)
<b>IRDLE, URDLE</b>			
curdle	girdle		hurdle
<b>IRDLESS (see EARD)</b>			
<b>IRDLY, URDLY</b>			
birdly		hurdly	absurdly
curdly		thirdly	
<b>IRELING</b>	hireling	<i>dialing</i>	squireling
<b>IRELY</b>			
direly		squirely	entirely
<b>IREN, IRON</b>	siren	environ	
<b>IRENT (see IRANT)</b>			
<b>IRER (see IRE)</b>			

IRGELESS (*see ERGE*)IRIC, YRIC (*short*)

lyric

emphitic (adj.)

panegyric

IRILE, IRREL

squirrel

virile

IRIOUS (*see IRIUS*)

IRIS

iris

prioress

IRIUM, YRIUM, YREUM

collyrium

delirium

empyreum

IRIUS, IRIOUS

sirius

stirious

delirious

IRKER, ERKER, ORKER, URKER

jerker

lurker

shirker

worker, etc.

(*see ERK*)IRKLESS (*see ERK*)

IRKSOME, URKSOME

irksome

murksome

IRLESS (*see ER*)IRLING (*see ERLING*)

IRLISH, URLISH

churlish

girlish

IRLLESS (*see EARL*)IRLY (*see EARLY*)

IRMER, ERMER, URMUR

firmer

murmur

confirmier

termer

affirmer

infirmier

IRMISH

firmish

squirmish

infirmish

skirmish

wormish

IRMLESS (*see ERM*)

IRMLY

firmly

termly

wormly

IRMY

squirmey

wormy

**IRON** (*see IREN*)**IROUS** (*see IRUS*)**IRPER, ERPER, URPER** (*see URP*)**IRRAH**

sirrah

tirra-lirra

mirror

**IRRUP, YRUP**

stirrup

syrup

**LETHLESS** (*see EARTH*)**IRTLE, YRTLE, URTLE**

hurtle

myrtle

turtle

kirtle

spirtle

**IRTLESS** (*see ERT*)**IRTY, URTY**

dirty

shirty

scurty

flirty

spurty

thirty

**IRUS**

virus

desirous

**IRY, IARY, IERY, IORY**

briery

fliery

priory

wiry

diary

miry

spiry

enquiry

**ISAL**

reprisal

revisal

surprisal

**ISOOUNT**

discount

miscount

**ISCOU3** (*see ISCUS*)**ISCOUIT** (*see ISKET*)**ISCOUS**

discus

viscous

**ISEL** (*see IZZLE*)**ISELESS** (*see ISE*)**ISELY** (*see ICELY*)**ISER, ISOR, IZAR**

miser

visor

divisor

supervisor.

sizar

adviser

incisor

etc. (*see ISE*)**ISSHER, ISSURE**

disher

fissure

well-wisher

fisher

wisher

ISHFUL	dishful	wishful	
ISHLESS ( <i>see</i> ISH)			
ISHY	dishy	fishy	
ISIAN ( <i>see</i> ISSION)			
ISMIC	phthisic	physic	metaphysic
ISING	sunrising	surprising, etc. ( <i>see</i> ISK)	
ISION, ISIAN, YSIAN, ISSION			
vision	division	parisian	revision
scission	elision	precision	circumcision
abscission	elysian	prevision	subdivision
collision	excision	provision	
decision	incision	recision	
derision	mispriſion	rescission	
Isrs	crisis	Isis	phthisis
ISIVE	derisive	incisive	undecisive
ISKER	frisker	whisker, etc. ( <i>see</i> ISK)	
ISKET, ISCUIT	biscuit	brisket	wisket
ISKEY ( <i>see</i> ISKY)			
ISKLESS ( <i>see</i> ISK)			
ISLY	briskly	fiscally	
ISKY, ISKEY	frisky	risky	whiskey
IZLY, IZZLY	drizzly	grisly	grizzly
ISMAL, YSMAL	frizzly	abysmal	baptismal
ISON ( <i>see</i> IZZEN and IZEN)			
ISOR ( <i>see</i> ISER)			
ISPER	crisper	lisper	whisper



<b>ISTLESS</b>	listless	resistless, etc. ( <i>see</i> ISR)	
<b>ISTLY</b>	gristly	thistly	
bristly		whistly	
<b>ISTMAS, ISTMUS</b>	christmas	isthmus	
<b>ISTOL</b> ( <i>see</i> YSTAL)			
<b>ISTY</b>	christy	misty	twisty
<b>ISY</b> ( <i>see</i> IZY)			
<b>ITAL</b> ( <i>see</i> ITTLE and ITLE)			
<b>ITCHER, ICHER</b>			
ditcher	pitcher	richer, etc. ( <i>see</i> ICH)	
<b>ITCHLESS</b> ( <i>see</i> IRCH)			
<b>ITCHY</b>			
hitchy	nichy	stitchy	twitchy
itchy	pitchy	switchy	
<b>ITEFUL, IGHTFUL</b>			
frightful	spiteful	despiteful	
rightful	delightful		
<b>ITELESS</b> ( <i>see</i> ITE)			
<b>ITELY, IGHTLY</b>			
brightly	sightly	whitely	unsightly
knightly	slightly	wightly	uprightly
lightly	sprightly	contritely	expeditely
nightly	lightly	politely	
rightly	tritely	unknightly	
<b>ITEM, ITRUM</b>	item	<i>ad infinitum</i>	
<b>ITEMENT, ICTMENT</b>	excitement	indictment	
<b>ITEN</b> ( <i>see</i> IGHTEM)			
<b>ITEY</b> ( <i>see</i> IGHTY)			
<b>ITHELY</b>	blithely	lithely	
<b>ITHER</b> ( <i>long</i> )			
blither	lither	neither	scyther
either	mither	tither	writher

[THER (*short*)

blither	hither	swither	whither
dither	slither	thither	wither

ITHING (*long*), YTHING

scything	tithing	writhing, etc. ( <i>see</i> ITHE)
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ITHLESS (*see* ITH)

## ITHESOME

	blithesome	lithesome
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## ITHY

smithy	stithy	withy
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ITIAL (*see* ICIAL)

## ITIO

critic	arthritic	hypocritic	paralytic
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## ITID, ITIED

	nitid	pitied, etc. ( <i>see</i> ITTY)
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## ITING

biting	whiting	writing	handwriting, etc. ( <i>see</i> ITE)
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ITION (*see* ICIAN)ITIOUS (*see* ICIOUS)ITISH (*long*), IGHTISH

brightish	lightish	whitish
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ITISH (*short*) (*see* ITTISH)

## ITLE, ITAL

title	entitle	recital
vital	marital	requital

ITLESS (*see* IT)

## ITLING, ITTLING

witling	whittling	belittling
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## ITNESS

	fitness	witness
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## ITRE, ITRR, etc.

biter	mitre	nitre, etc. ( <i>see</i> ITE)
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ITTAL (*see* ITTLE)

## ITTANCE

pittance	admittance	remittance
quittance	acquittance	

ITTEE, (*see* ITTY)

## ITTEN, ITAN

bitten  
kitten

mittens  
smitten

witan  
written

## ITTER

bitter	hitter	sitter	zither
fitter	knitter	spitter	committer
fritter	litter	splitter	embitter
flitter	pitter	titter	remitter, etc.
glitter	quitter	twitter	(see IT)

## ITTI (see ITTY)

## ITTING

fitting	fitting	sitting	befitting, etc.
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(see IT)

## ITTISH, ITISH

british

fittish

skittish

## ITTLE, ITAL, ITTAL, ITTOL, IOTUAL

brittle

spital

victual

acquittal

knittle

spittle

whittle

belittle

little

tittle

wittol

transmittal

## ITYY, ITY, ITTI

bitty

ditty

plty

banditti

chitty

gritty

pretty

committees

city

natty

witty

## ITUAL

ritual

habitual

## ITUM (see ITEM)

## ITY (see ITTY)

## IUS (see LAS)

## IVAL

rival

arrival

revival

## IVANCE

connivance

contrivance

## IVEN

driven

riven

## IVEL, IVIL

rivel

snivel

drivel

shril

swivel

uncivil

## IVELY

lively

wively

IVER ( <i>long</i> )			
cliver	fiver	shriver	reviver
diver	hiver	conniver	surviver, etc.
driver	liver	deriver	(see IVM)
IVER ( <i>short</i> )			
giver	quiver	shiver	deliver
liver	river	sliver	
IVERS ( <i>long</i> )	divers, etc. (see IVER, <i>long</i> )		
IVET			
civet		rivet	trivet
IVIAL			
trivial		convivial	quadriavid
IVID	livid	vivid	
IVIL (see IVEL)			
IVING ( <i>short</i> )			
thanksgiving		unforgiving, etc. (see IVE, <i>short</i> )	
IVIOUS			
lascivious		multivious	oblivious
IVOT	divot	pivot	
IVY ( <i>short</i> ), IVI			
chivy	divi	privy	tivy
IXIE (see ICKSY)			
IXER, IXIR			
fixer	mixer	elixir, etc. (see IX)	
IXTURE			
fixture		admixture	Intermixture
mixture		commixture	
IZAR (see ISER)			
IZARD, IZZARD, ISSORED			
blizzard	izzard	scissored	wizard
gizzard	lizard	vizard	
IZELESS (see IZE)			
IZEN, IZON ( <i>long</i> )			
bison		bedizen	horizon
IZIER (see IZZIER)			

IZY

misy

nizy

sizy

IZZER (see ISSOR)

IZZEN, ISON, IZEN (*short*)

mizzen      prison

wizen

unprison

IZZIER, IZIER, USIER

busier

dizzler

vizier

IZZLE, ISEL

chisel

frizzle

swizzle

drizzle

grizzle

IZZER (see IZZLE)

IZZY, USY

busy

dizzy

mizzy

tizzy

OACHER (see OACH)

OACHFUL

coachful

reproachful

OACHLESS (see OACH)

OADLESS (see OAD)

OAFLESS (see OAF)

OAFY, OPHE, OPHI, OPHY

loafy

sophi

trophy

oafy

strophe

OAKER (see OCHRE)

OAKLESS (see OAK)

OAKUM, OCUM

locum

oakum

OALLESS (see OAL)

OALY, OLY, OLELY, OLLY (*long*), OWLY

coaly

lowly

solely

drolly

shoaly

wholly

holy

slowly

roly-poly

OAMER (see OMER)

OAMLESS (see OAM)

OAMY (see OAM)

OANLESS (see OAN)

OAPLESS (see OAP)

OARDLESS (see OARD)

OARISH, OORISH

boarish      boorish

moorish

whorish

**OARLESS** (*see OAR*)**OARSEL**

coarsely

hoarsely

**OARY, OBY, OORY**

dory

lory

storey

con amore, etc.

glory

moory

story

gory

oary

tory

hoary

pory

more (latin)

**OASTAL** (*see OSTAL, long*)**OASTER, OSTER**

boaster

poster

toaster

coaster

roaster

bill-poster

**OASTING**

coasting

ghosting, etc. (*see OAST*)**OASTLESS** (*see OAST*)**OATE**

inchoate

poet

**OATEN** (*see OTAN*)**OATER** (*see OTER*)**OATHING** (*see OTHING*)**OATHLESS** (*see OAT*)**OBBER**

blobber

jobber

slobber

clobber

robber

swabber

**OBBET**

gobbet

post oblit

**OBBIN, OBIN**

bobbin

robin

**OBBLE**

cobble

hobble

squabble

gobble

nobble

wobble

**OBBLER**

cobbler

squabbler, etc. (*see OBBL*)**OBBY**

knobby

mobby

pobby

bobby

lobby?

nobby

**OBELLESS**noblesse, etc. (*see OBE*)**OBEN**

sober

october

OBIN (*see OBBIN*)OBIT (*see OBBET*)OBLESS (*see OB*)OBLESSE (*see OBELESS*)OCAL

focal

local

vocal

OCEAN (*see OTION*)

OCER, OSER, OSSER

closer

engrosser

moroser

grocer

jocoser

verboser

OCHEE, OKEE, OKY

chokee

joky

oaky

smoky

hoky

moky

poky

trochee

OCHRE, OAKER, OKER

broker

joker

soaker

provoker

choker

ochre

smoker

revoker

croaker

poker

stoker

OCIOUS

atrocious

ferocious

precocious

OCKER

blocker

frocker

mockers

shocker, etc.  
(*see OCK*)

cocker

knocker

rockers

docker

locker

smocker

OCKET

brocket

locket

rocket

sprocket!

docket

pocket

socket

pick-pocket

OCKEY, OCKY

blocky

crocky

jockey

stocky, etc.  
(*see OCK*)

cocky

hockey

rocky

OCKING

shocking

stocking, etc. (*see OCK*)

OCKLE

cockle

hockle

OCKLESS (*see OCK*)OCKSY (*see OXY*)

Oco, Ocoa, OKO

boko

cocoa

toko

rococo

OCTER (*see OCTOR*)

OPTION

auction

concoction

decoction

OCTOR, OCTER			
doctor	proctor		concocter
OOUS			
crocus	hocus		hocus-pocus
focus	locus		
OUST, OCUSSED			
ocussed	focussed	hocussed	locust
ODDEN			
sodden	trodden		untrodden
ODDER			
dodder	nodder		plodder
fodder	odder		prodger
ODDESS, ODICE			
bodice		goddess	
ODDLE, ODEL			
coddle	noddle		toddle
model	swaddle		waddle
ODDLER ( <i>see</i> ODDLE)			
ODDLING ( <i>see</i> ODLING)			
ODDLY, ODLY			
godly	oddly	coddly, etc. ( <i>see</i> ODDLE)	
ODDY, ODY			
body	noddy		embody
cloddy	shoddy		busy-body
ODEL ( <i>short</i> ) ( <i>see</i> ODDLE)			
ODELESS ( <i>see</i> OAD)			
ODER, OADER, ODOUR			
loader	odour	exploder	foreboder, etc. ( <i>see</i> OAD)
ODEST ( <i>short</i> ), ODICED			
bodiced	noddest		immodest, etc. ( <i>see</i> OD)
modest	oddest		
ODGELESS ( <i>see</i> ODGE)			
ODGER			
bodger	dodger	lodger	podger
ODGING			
	dodging	lodging, etc. ( <i>see</i> ODGE)	
ODIAN			
	custodian	prosodian	

ODIC (see ODDESS)

ODIC

odic spasmodic synodic episodic

ODING, OADING

loading

foreboding, etc. (see OAD)

ODIOUS

odious

melodious

incommodeous

commodious

discommodeous

ODISH, OADISH

modish

show-dish

toadish

ODIUM

odium

allodium

ODLING, ODDLING

codling

godling

swaddling

coddling

modelling

toddling

waddling

ODLY (see ODDLY)

ODOUR (see ODER)

ODOUS, ODUS

modus

nodous

ODY (short) (see ODDY)

OELESS (see EW and O)

OEM

poem

proem

OET (see OATE)

OFFEN

coffee

toffee

OFFER

coffer

offer

scoffer

couger

proffer

OFFEST (see OPHIST)

OFFICED (see OPHIST)

OFFING

coughing

offing

scorning, etc. (see OFF)

OFTEN, ORPHAN

often

orphan

soften

OFTENER

oftener

softener

OFFY

lofty

softy

OGEY, OGL, OGUEY			
bogey	jogl	roguey	voguey
OGGISH			
	doggish	hoggish	
OGGLE			
boggle		goggle	joggle
Oggy			
boggy	doggy	froggy	pedagogy
cloggy	foggy	joggy	
OGLE			
	bogle	ogle	
OGRESS			
	ogress	progress	
OGUEY ( <i>see</i> OGY)			
OGY ( <i>short</i> ) ( <i>see</i> Oggy)			
OIC			
	stolic	herolic	
OICELESS ( <i>see</i> OICE)			
OIDER			
moider	avolder		embroider
OILER ( <i>see</i> OIL)			
OILLESS ( <i>see</i> OIL)			
OILY ( <i>see</i> OYLY)			
OINER			
coiner	joiner		purloiner
OING, OWING			
	owing	foregoing, etc. ( <i>see</i> O)	
OINLESS ( <i>see</i> OIN)			
OINTAL, OINTEL			
	pointel	disjointal	
OINTER			
	pointer	anointer, etc. ( <i>see</i> OINT)	
OINTLESS ( <i>see</i> OINT)			
OINTMENT			
ointment	disjointment		disappointment
appointment			
OISELESS ( <i>see</i> OISE)			
OISON			
	oison	poison	

OISTER, OYSTER closter	oyster	rolster	
OTTER, OTRE goitre	lolter	adroiter	
OKELESS ( <i>see</i> OAK)			
OKEN			
broken	bespoken	foretoken	
oaken	betoken	unbroken	
spoken	fair-spoken	unspoken	
token			
OKER ( <i>see</i> OCHRE)			
OKY ( <i>see</i> OCHEE)			
OLAR ( <i>long</i> ), OLLER, OWLER bowler	roller	enroller	circumpolar
molar	solar	comptroller	
polar	stroller	controller	
OLAR ( <i>short</i> ) ( <i>see</i> OLLAR)			
OLDEN			
bolden	golden	beholden	embolden
OLDER ( <i>see</i> OULDER)			
OLDIER			
mouldier	old year	soldier	
OLDING ( <i>see</i> OLD)			
OLDLY			
boldly	coldly	manifoldly	
OLEFUL, OULFUL, OWLFUL bowful	doleful	soulful	
OLELY ( <i>see</i> OALY)			
OLEMN, OLUMN			
column	solemn		
OLEN ( <i>see</i> OLLEN)			
OLER ( <i>see</i> OLLAR)			
OLESOME			
dolesome	wholesome		
OLEUM, OLIUM scholium	linoleum	petroleum	
OLFISH, ULLFISH bullfish	wolfish		

**OLIC, OLLICK**

colic	bucolic	diabolic	vitriolic
frolic	alcoholic	hyperbolic	
rollick	apostolic	melancholic	

**OLID**

solid	squalid	stolid
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**OLISH, OLLISH**

dollish	abolish	tollollish
polish	demolish	

**OLIUM (*see* OLEUM)****OILLESS (*see* OAK)****OLLAR, OLAR (*short*), OLER, OLOUR**

choler	dollar	scholar
collar	dolour	squalor

**OLLARD, OLLARED**

collared	dollared	pollard	"scholard "
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**OLLEGHE (*see* OWLEDGE)****OLLEN (*long*), OLEN, OLON**

colon	stolen	swollen	semicolon
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**OLLER (*see* OLAR)****OLLET**

collet	swallet	wallet
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**OLLEY (*see* OLLY)****OLLIER**

collier	jollier
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**OLLOP**

collop	scollop	wallop
dollop	trollop	

**OLLOW**

collow	hollow	wallow
follow	swallow	

**OLLY (*long*) (*see* OALY)****OLLY (*short*), OLLEY, OLLIE, OLY**

collie	holly	polly	melancholy
dolly	jolly	trolley	
golly	molly	volley	

**OLON (*see* OLLEN)****OLENEL (*see* ERNAL)**

OLOUB (*see OLLAR and ULLER*)

OLSTER

bolster      holster

OLTER, OULTER

bolter      coulter      bolter, etc.  
*(see OLT)*

OLTEST, OULTICED

poultaiced      revoltest, etc. (*see OLT*)

OLTISH

coltish      doltish

OLTLESS (*see OLT*)

OLUMN (*see OLEMN*)

OLVER

solver      dissolver      revolver, etc.  
*(see OLVE)*

OLY (*see OALY and OLLY, short*)

OMA

coma      diploma      sarcoma

OMACH, UMMOCK

hummock      stomach

OMACHS, UMMOCKS, UMMAX

flummax      hummocks      stomachs

OMAN (*long*), OMON, OWMAN

gnomon      roman      showman

yeoman

OMAN (*short*), UMAN, UMON

human      woman      ichneumon

inhuman

OMBLESS (*see OAM and Oom*)

OMELESS (*see OAM*)

OMENT

foment (noun)      moment

OMER

homer      omer      misnomer, etc.  
*(see OAM)*

OMET, OMIT

comet      vomit

OMIC

comic      astronomic

economic

OMING (*long*) (*see OAM*)

OMING ( <i>short</i> ), UMMING			
coming	becoming		unbecoming,
humming	forthcoming		etc. ( <i>see UM</i> )
OMISH, OAMISH			
loamish	romish		
OMIT ( <i>see OMET</i> )			
OMON ( <i>see OMAN</i> )			
OMPASS, UMPUS			
compass	rumpus		encompass
OMPTER			
compter	prompter		acomptor
ONANT ( <i>see ONENT</i> )			
ONDANT ( <i>see ONDENT</i> )			
ONDAY ( <i>see UNDAY</i> )			
ONDANT, ONDENT			
fondant	despondent	co-respondent	correspondent
respondent			
ONDEL ( <i>see ONDLE</i> )			
ONDER			
bonder	squander		absconder
fonder	wander		desponder
ponder	yonder		responder
ONDLE, ONDEL			
fondle	rondel		
ONDLESS ( <i>see OND</i> )			
ONDLING			
bondling	fondling		rondelling
ONELESE ( <i>see OAN</i> )			
ONLY, ONLY			
lonely	only		
ONENT, ONANT			
conant	deponent		opponent
component	exponent		
ONER ( <i>see ONNER and ONOR</i> )			
ONEST			
honest	non est	wannest	dishonest, etc.
			( <i>see ON</i> )
ONEY ( <i>long</i> ) ( <i>see ONY</i> )			
ONEY ( <i>short</i> ) ( <i>see UNNY</i> )			

**ONGER**conger  
longerstronger  
wronger

prolonger

**ONGEOUS, UNGEOUS**

lungeous

spongeous

**ONGING (hard)**

longing

wronging, etc. (see ONG)

**ONGING (soft) (see UNGING)****ONGLESS (see ONG)****ONGUELESS (see UNG)****ONGLY**

longly

strongly

wrongly

**ONGY (soft)**

lungy

pluny

spongy

**ONIC**

chronic

harmonic

symphonic

telephonie

conic

ionic

teutonic

architeconic

tonic

laconic

diatonic

euphonic

mnemonic

histrionic

**ONION, UNION**

onion

ronion

trunnion

**ONIOUS**

felonious

symphonious

ceremonious

sanctimonious

harmonious

acrimonious

parsimonious

ous

**ONNISH, ONISH**

donnish

admonish

astonish

premonish

**ONKY, ONKEY**

conky

donkey

**ONKEY, UNKEY, UNKY**

funkey

monkey

spunky.

trunky

**ONKISH, UNKISH**

drunkish

monkish

**ONLY (see ONELY)****ONNER, ONER, ONOUR**

goner

wanner

dishonour

honour

aleconner

**ONNET**

bonnet

sonnet

ONOR, ONER, OWNER			
donor	owner		stoner, etc. (see OAN)
ONOUR (see ONNER)			
ONSAL, ONSIL, ONSUL			
consul	ensconsal		responsal
tonsil	proconsul		
ONTEST			
	contest	wantest	
ONTRACT			
	contract	<i>entr'acte</i>	
ONY, ONEY, ONI			
bony	crony	stony	macaroni
coney	pony	tony	
OODY, UBY			
booby	looby		ruby
OODLE, EUDAL			
boodle	feudal	noodle	flapdoodle
OODLESS (see OOD and UD)			
OODY (short)			
	goody	woody	
OODY (long) (see OOD)			
OOFLLESS (see OOF)			
OOK			
bookish	flukish	rookish	spookish
OOKLESS (see OOK)			
OOKY			
booky	cooky	flukey	rookys
OOLER (see OOL)			
OOLISH, ULISH			
coolish	foolish	mullish	schoolish
OOLLESS (see OOL)			
OOMER (see UMER)			
OOMLESS (see OOM)			
OOMY, UMY			
bloomy	fumy	plumy	roomy
broomy	gloomy	rheumy	spumy
OONER (see UNAR)			

OONFUL (*see UNEFUL*)

OONLY (*see UNELY*)

OONY, UNY, UISNE

loony

pulsne

spooony

moony

puny

tuny

OOPER, UPER, OPOR

cooper

super

trooper, etc.  
(*see Oop*)

hooper

stupor

OORER (*see UROR*)

OORLY (*see URELY*)

OOSELESS (*see OOSE*)

OOSELY (*see USELY*)

OOSER (*flat*), USER, UISER, OOZER

boozer

chooser

loser  
user, etc.,

bruiser

cruiser

(*see OOSE*)

OOTER, UTER, UITTER, EWTER, EUTER

mooter

pewter

tutor

disputer, etc.

neuter

suiter

freebooter

(*see Oot*)

OOTING (*see UTTING*)

OOTLE, UTAL

brutal

footle

refutal

OOTLESS

bootless

fruitless, etc. (*see Oot*)

OOTLING

footling

rootling

OOTY, EAUTY, UTY, UITY, OOTI

beauty

dhooti

fruity

booty

duty

rooty

OOVELESS (*see OOVE*)

OOVER, OVER

groover

prover

disprover

remover

mover

approver

improver

reprover

Oozeless (*see OOSE*)

Oozer (*see OOSER*)

Oozle, Usal, Ousel, Usil

foozle

ousel

perusal

fusill

bamboozle

refusal

Oozler (*see Oozle*)

<b>OJZY</b>			
boozy	brisly	musy	oozy
<b>OPAL</b>			
	copal	opal	
<b>OPELESS</b> ( <i>see OAP</i> )			
<b>OPER</b> ( <i>long</i> )	sloper	toper	Interloper, etc. ( <i>see OAP</i> )
<b>OPER</b> ( <i>short</i> ) ( <i>see OPPER</i> )			
<b>OPHE</b> ( <i>see OAFY</i> )			
<b>OPHIST, OFFEST, OFFICED</b>			
officed	scoffest	sophist, etc. ( <i>see OFF</i> )	
<b>OPHY</b> ( <i>see OAFY</i> )			
<b>OPIC</b>			
topic		microscopic	telescopic, etc.
tropic		spectroscopic	
<b>OPING</b>	coping	toping, etc. ( <i>see OAP</i> )	
<b>OPLAR, OPPLER</b>			
	poplar	toppler	
<b>OPLESS</b> ( <i>see OP</i> )			
<b>OPLING, OPPLING</b>			
	fopling	toppling	
<b>OPPER, OPER</b>			
copper	hopper	whopper	improper, etc.
chopper	proper	grasshopper	( <i>see OP</i> )
cropper	stopper	eavesdropper	
<b>OPPING</b>			
	chopping	topping	whopping, etc. ( <i>see OP</i> )
<b>OPPY, OPY</b>			
choppy	dropple	poppy	sloppy
copy	moppy	shoppy	soppy
<b>OPSY</b>			
	dropsey	topsy	<i>autopsy</i>
<b>OPTER</b>			
propter	adopter	helicopter	phenicopter
<b>OPTIC</b>			
	coptic	optic	synoptic

## OPTION

option adoption

OPY (*long*), OAPY  
mody

ropy

soapy

OPY (*short*) (*see OPPY*)ORAGE, ORRIDGE (*see also OURAGE*)  
borage

forage

porridge

ORAL (*long*)

choral

horal

thoral

floral

oral

ORAL (*short*), ORRAL, ORREL, AUREL

coral

laurel

quarrel

immoral

corral

moral

sorrel

ORAN, OBON

koran

oxymoron

ORAX

borax

show-racks

ORBEL

bauble

corbel

warble

ORCELESS (*see ORCE*)

ORCHARD

orchard

tortured

ORCHER

scorcher

torture

ORDER

border

warder

recorder

order

disorder

rewarder, etc.  
(*see ORD*)

ORDIAL

cordial

ordeal

primordial

ORDING

lording

according, etc. (*see ORD*)ORDLESS (*see EARD, OARD, and ORD*)

ORDLING

dawdling

lordling

maudlin

ORDON

cordon

warden

ORDSHIP

lordsnip

wardship

ORDURE (*see ORGER*)ORDY (*see URDY*)OREAL (*see ORIAL*)OREIGN (*see ORIN*)ORELESS (*see OAR*)ORER (*see OAR*)

OREST, ORREST

forest

abhorrest

ORGAN

organ

gorgon

ORGEOUS, ORGES

*forges*

gorgeous

*gorges**disgorges*

ORGER

forger

gorger

*ordure*

disgorger

ORGON (*see ORGAN*)

ORIA, ORIEL, ORMAL

boreal

corporeal

dictatorial

incorporeal

oriel

memorial

equatorial

senatorial

armorial

pictorial

inamemorial

ORIAN, ORION

morion

historian

pretorian

ORIO

dorie

allegoric

paregoric

historic

metaphoric

ORID, OBRID

herid

horrid

quarried

torrid

ORIN

florin

foreign

warren

ORION (*see ORIAN*)

ORIOUS

glorious

inglorious

uxorious

meritorious

scorious

laberious

vainglorious

proditorious

censorious

notorious

victorieus

ORIST, OREST

borest

florist

sorest, etc. (*see OAR*)

ORIUM

emperium

sensorium

sanatorium

ORKLESS (*see ERK and ORK*)ORKY (*see ALK and ORK*)

<b>ORMANT, ORMENT</b>	dormant	torment	informant
<b>ORMER</b>	dormer	warmer	performer
	former	informer	reformer, etc. <i>(see ORM)</i>
<b>ORMING</b>	forming	house-warming, etc. ( <i>see ORM</i> )	
<b>ORMLESS</b>		formless, etc. ( <i>see ORM</i> )	
<b>ORMLY</b>	warmly	uniformly	
<b>ORMOUS</b>	enormous	informous	
<b>ORNER</b>	horner	warner	suborner, etc. <i>(see ORN)</i>
<b>ORNET</b>	cornet	hornet	
<b>ORNEY</b> ( <i>see OURNEY</i> )			
<b>ORNFUL</b>	hornful	mournful	scornful
<b>ORNICED, ORNEST</b>	corniced	warnest, etc. ( <i>see ORN</i> )	
<b>ORNING.</b>	<i>awning</i>	<i>mourning</i>	warning, etc. <i>(see ORN)</i>
	morning	scorning	
<b>ORNLESS</b> ( <i>see ORN</i> )			
<b>ORNY</b>	cordy	horny	thorny
<b>OBOUGH</b>	borough	thorough	
<b>OBROUS</b> ( <i>see OBUS</i> )			
<b>ORPHAN</b> ( <i>see OFTEN</i> )			
<b>ORPOISE</b> ( <i>see ORPUS</i> )			
<b>ORPOR</b>	pauper	torpor	warper
<b>ORPUS</b>	corpus	porpoise	
<b>ORRAL, OBBEL</b> ( <i>see ORAL, short</i> )			

**ORRENT**

torrent

warrant

abhorrent

**ORRER (see ORROR)****ORRIDGE (see ORAGE)****ORRIER**

quarrier

sorrier

warrior

**ORROR**

horror

abhorrer

**ORROW**

boitow

morrow

sorrow

**ORRY**

quarry

sorry

*For rhymes to worry see URRY***ORSAL, ORSEL**

dorsal

foresail

morsel

torsel

**ORSELESS (see ORSE)****ORSION (see ORTION)****ORSTED, IRSTED**

thirsted

worsted

**ORTAL (see ORTLE)****ORTAR, ORTER**

mortar

quarter

extorter, etc.

*(See ORT; see also AUGHTER)***ORTEN**

quartan

shorten

**ORTHLESS (see EARTH)****ORTIE (see ORTY)****ORTION**

portion

apportion

distortion

retortion

torsion

consortion

extortion

disproportion

abortion

contortion

proportion

**ORTLE**

chortle

mortal

immortal

cautel

portal

**ORTLY, OURTY**

courtly

portly

**ORTIOUS (see AUSEOUS)**

<b>ORTIVE</b>	<i>sportive</i>	<b>tortive</b>	<b>abortive</b>
<b>ORTMENT</b>	<i>assortment</i>	<i>comportment</i>	<i>deportment</i>
<b>ORTRESS</b>	<i>fortress</i>	<i>porteress</i>	
<b>ORTUNE</b>	<i>fortune</i>	<i>importune</i>	<i>misfortune</i>
<b>ORTURE</b> ( <i>see</i> ORCHER)			
<b>ORTURED</b> ( <i>see</i> ORCHARD)			
<b>ORTY</b>			
	<i>forty</i>	<i>snorty</i>	<i>warty</i>
	<i>rorty</i>	<i>sortie</i>	
<i>(See also AUGHTY)</i>			
<b>ORUM</b>			
	<i>forum</i>	<i>quorum</i>	<i>indecorum</i>
	<i>jorum</i>	<i>decorum</i>	
<b>ORUS, OROUS</b>			
<b>chorus</b>	<i>porous</i>	<i>decorous</i>	<i>sonorous</i>
<b>ORY</b> ( <i>see</i> OARY)			
<b>OSEL</b> ( <i>see</i> OZZLE)			
<b>OSELESS</b> ( <i>see</i> OSE)			
<b>OSELY, OSSLY</b>			
	<i>closely</i>	<i>jocosely</i>	<i>verbosely</i>
	<i>grossly</i>	<i>morosely</i>	
<b>OSEN</b> ( <i>see</i> OZEN)			
<b>OSER</b> ( <i>see</i> OSE)			
<b>OSET, OSIT</b>	<i>closet</i>	<i>deposit</i>	
<b>OSHER</b>			
	<i>kosher</i>	<i>swasher</i>	<i>washer, etc.</i>
			<i>(see OSH)</i>
<b>Oshy</b>			
<b>boshy</b>	<i>squashy</i>	<i>toshy</i>	<i>washy</i>
<b>OSIER</b> ( <i>see</i> OSURE)			
<b>Osion</b>			
	<i>corrosion</i>	<i>erosion</i>	<i>explosion</i>
<b>Orr</b> ( <i>see</i> OSHT)			

OΣIVN		corrosive	explosive
OSLING	gosling	<i>jostling</i>	nozzling
OSSACKS		cossacks	trossachs
OSSAGE		bossage	sausage
OSSING (see OSS)			
OSSLESS (see OSS)			
OSSLY (see OSELY)			
OSSOM		blossom	opossum
OSSY	bossy	flossy	lossy
	drossy	glossy	mossy
OΣTAL (long), OASTAL	coastal	postal	
OΣTAL (short), OSTEL, OSTIL	costal	postil	
	hostel	accostal	Intercostal pentecostal
OΣTER (long) (see OASTER)			
OΣTER (short)			
coster	foster	accoster	paternoster
OΣTESS		ghostess	hostess
OΣTIC, AUSTIC			
caustic		agnostic	prognostic
acrostic		diagnostic	
OΣTLE, OSSIL, ASSAIL			
dossil		jostle	wassail
fossil		throstle	apostle
OΣTLER			
hostler	jostler	ostler	wassailer
OΣTLESS (see Ost)			
OΣTLY		ghostly	mostly
OΣTREL, OSTRIL			
costrel		nostril	

<b>OSTRUM</b>	nostrum	rostrum	
<b>OSURE, OSIER</b>			
<i>cosier</i>	hosier	composure	exposure
closure	esier	disclosure	discomposure
crosier	<i>rosier</i>	enclosure	
<b>Osy, Ozy</b>			
dexy		posy	resy
nosy		prosy	
<b>OTAL</b>			
dotal	total	antidotal	sacerdotal
<b>OTAN</b>			
	saten	wotan	
<b>OTARD, OTORED</b>			
	dotard	motored	
<b>OTUHER</b>			
	botcher	watcher	
<b>OTCHET, OCHET</b>			
	crotchet	rochet	
<b>OTCHLESS (see OTCH)</b>			
<b>OTCHY</b>			
blotchy	botchy	notchy	
<b>OTELESS (see OAT)</b>			
<b>OTEM (see OTUM)</b>			
<b>OTER, OTOR</b>			
bloater	quoter	locomotor, etc.	
motor	voter	(see OAT)	
<b>OTEST, OTICED, OTIST</b>			
noticed	votest	anecdote	
protest	wrotest	list	
<b>OTHER</b>			
	bother	pother	
<b>OTHER (as in other)</b>			
brother	other	another	
mother	smother		
<b>OTHING (long)</b>			
clothing	loathing	betrothing	
<b>OTHIR, OTHY</b>			
bothie	frothy	mothy	

OTHLESS (*see OATH*)

OTIC

chaotic      despotic

exotic

hypnotic

OTICED (*see OTEST*)

OTION

lotion

ocean

emotion

motion

potion

promotion

notion

devotion

locomotion

OTIVE

motive

votive

locomotive

OTLESS (*see OT*)

OTLEY, OTLY

hotly

motley

squatty

OTOR (*see OTER*)

OTTAGE

cottage

pottage

OTTAR (*see OTTER*)OTTEL (*see OTTLE*)

OTTEN, OTTON

cotton

rotten

forgotten

gotten

begotten

misbegotten

OTTER

clotter

plotter

totter

complotter,

ottar

potter

trotter

etc. (*see OT*)

otter

rotter

bog-trotter

OTTIER

clottier

cottier

knottier

spottier

OTTISCHE, OTTISH

scottish

schottische

sottish

OTTLE, OTTEL

bottle

pottle

wattle

dottel

throttle

OTTLING (*see OTTLE*)

OTTO

grotto

lotto

motto

ridotto

OTTON (*see OTTEN*)

<b>OTTY</b>			
blotty	knotty	snotty	totty
clotty	potty	spotty	hotty-motty
<b>OTUM, OTEM</b>			
	quotum	totem	
<b>UBBLE, UBBLE</b>			
bubble	grubble	rubble	trouble
double	knubble	stubble	
<b>UBBLER (see UBBLE)</b>			
<b>OUTLESS, OUTLESS</b>		doubtless, etc. (see OUT)	
<b>OUCHLESS (see OUCH)</b>			
<b>OUDER (see OWDER)</b>			
<b>OUDLESS (see OUD)</b>			
<b>OUDLY</b>	loudly	proudly	
<b>OUDY (see OWDY)</b>			
<b>OUGHBOY, OWBOY</b>	cowboy	ploughboy	
<b>OUGHEN</b>	roughen	toughen	
<b>OUGHLESS (see OFF, UFF, Ow, OCK)</b>			
<b>OUGHLY (see UFFLY)</b>			
<b>OUGHTEN</b>	foughten	wroughten	
<b>OUGHTY (see AUGHTY and OUTY)</b>			
<b>ULDER, OLDER</b>			
bolder	moulder	smoulder	
boulder	shoulder	solder, etc. (see OLD)	
<b>ULDERING</b>			
<i>gold-ring</i>	shouldering	smouldering	soldering
<b>ULDESS (see OLD)</b>			
<b>ULING (see OUL)</b>			
<b>ULTICED (see OLTEST)</b>			
<b>OUNCELESS (see OUNCE)</b>			
<b>OUNCIL (see OONSEL)</b>			
<b>UNDER</b>			
bounder	founder	rounder	expounder
flounder	pounder	sounder	iron-founder, etc. (see OUND)

OUNDING ( <i>see</i> OUND)		
OUNDLESS ( <i>see</i> OUND)		
OUNDLING	foundling	groundling
OUNDLY	roundly	soundly
		profoundly
OUNDNESS ( <i>see</i> OUND)		
OUNDARY, OUNDRY	boundary	floundery
		foundry
OUNDSEL ( <i>see</i> OUNSEL)		
OUNGLING ( <i>see</i> UNGLING)		
OUNSEL	council	counsel
OUNTAIN	fountain	mountain
OUNTANT	mountant	accountant
OUNTER	mounter	encounter
counter		renounter, etc. ( <i>see</i> OUNT)
OUNTLESS ( <i>see</i> OUNT)		
OUNTRIES ( <i>see</i> UNTRESS)		
OUNTY	bounty	county
OURAGE, URRAGE		
borage	demurrage	encourage
courage	discourage	
OURI ( <i>see</i> OWRY)		
OURISH, URRISH		
currish	flourish	nourish
OURLESS ( <i>see</i> OUR, OOR, OAR)		
OURLY	hourly	sourly
OURNEY, ERNY, ORNEY, URNEY		
fernny	spurney	attorney
journey	toarney	
OURSER		
courser	coarser	boarser, etc. ( <i>see</i> OARSE)
OURSELESS ( <i>see</i> ORCE)		

OURTEOUS (*see URCHASE*)OURTLY (*see ORTLY*)

OUSAL, OUSEL

houzel

towzle

espousal

nousel

carousal

OUSEL (*see OOZLE and OUSAL*)OUSELESS (*see OUSE*)

ouser

rouser

trouser

carouser, etc.  
(*see OUSE*)OUSERS (*see OUSER*)OUSIN (*see OZEN*)OUSING (*see OUSE*)

OUSY

lousy

mousy

OUTLESS (*see OUT*)

OUTLY

stoutly

devoutly

OUTRE, UITOR, OOTER, etc.

sujtor

accoutre, etc. (*see OOT*)

OUTY, OUGHTY

droughty

gouty

OVAL

approval

removal

OVEL

grovel

hovel

novel

OVELESS (*see OVE*)

OVEMENT

movement

approvement

improvements

OVEN (*long*)

cloven

proven

woven

OVEN (*short*), OVIN

covin

oven

sloven

OVING (*see OVE*)OVER (*long*)

clover

over

stover

moreover

drover

rover

trover

half-seas-over

OVER (*short*)

cover

glover

plover

discover

covert

lover

shover

recover

OVERTAIL	dovetail	love-tale	
OWARD	coward	flowered, etc. ( <i>see OUR</i> )	
OWARD ( <i>long o</i> ) ( <i>see OARD</i> )			
OWBOY ( <i>see OUGHBOY</i> )			
OWDER, OUDER			
crowder	louder	powder, etc. ( <i>see OUD</i> )	
OWDY, OUDY			
cloudy	dowdy	rowdy	
crowdy	proudly	shroudly	
OWER ( <i>see OUR and OAR</i> )			
OWEL			
bowel	towel	vowel	seini-vowel
rowel	trowel	diseinbowel	
OWING			
flowing	knowing	cock-crowing, etc. ( <i>see O</i> )	
OWLEDGE, OLLEGE			
college	knowledge	acknowledge	foreknowledge
OWLER ( <i>see OLAR and OUL</i> )			
OWLESS ( <i>see O and Ow</i> )			
OWLING ( <i>see OAL and OUL</i> )			
OWLLESS ( <i>see OUL and OAL</i> )			
OWLY ( <i>see OALY</i> )			
OWNER ( <i>see ONOR</i> )			
OWNISH			
brownish	clownish	townish	
OWNLESS ( <i>see OWN</i> )			
OWNSMAN			
	gownsman	townsman	
OWNY			
brownie	browny	downy	towny
OWRY, OURI, OWERY, OURY			
bowery	floury	hourly	towery
dowry	flowery	showery	avowry
OWSY ( <i>see Owzy</i> )			
OWY			
blowy	showy	snowy	

Owzy, Owzy blowzy	drowsy	frowzy
OXEN, OXSWAIN coxswain	oxen	
OXY, OCKSY cocksy doxy	proxy orthodoxy	heterodoxy
OYAL loyal	royal	disloyal
OYALTY	loyalty	royalty
OYER annoyer	destroyer	employer
OYLESS ( <i>see OIL and OY</i> )		
OYLY, OILY coyly doyly	oily <i>loyally</i>	<i>royally</i>
OYMENT cloyment	employment	enjoyment
OZEN, OSSEN ( <i>long</i> ) boatswain	chosen	frozen
OZEN ( <i>short</i> ), OUSIN cousin	cozen	dozen
OZZLE, OSEL losel	nozzle	
UAGE, EWAGE sewage	escuage	
UAL, EWAL dual	eschewal	renewal
UANT, UENT fluent	truant	pursuant
UBBARD, UFBOARD cupboard	lubbard	
UBBER blubber	rubber	landlubber
lubber	slubber	indiarubber, etc. ( <i>see UB</i> )
UBBISH clubbish cubbish	grubbish rubbish	tubbish

UBBLE (*see* OUBLE)

UBBLY

bubbly  
doublyknubbly  
rubbly

stubbly

UBBY

chubby      hubby  
grubby      scrubbyshrubby  
stubby

tubby

UBELESS (*see* UBE)UBLESS (*see* UB)

UBLISH, UBBLISH

bubbly

publish

UBRIOUS

lugubrious

salubrious

UBTLE (*see* UTTLE)UBY (*see* OORY)UCCOUR (*see* UCKER)UCELESS (*see* OOSE)

UCENT, USANT

lucent  
recusantreluce  
translucent

interlucent

UCER (*see* OOSE, hard)

UCIAL

crucial

fiducial

UCIVE, USIVE

abusive      deducive  
allusive      delusive  
collusive      diffusive  
conclusive      effusive  
conducive      elusiveexclusive  
illusive  
inclusive  
infusive  
intrusiveobtrusive  
inconclusive

UCKER, UCCOUR

ducker      pucker  
mucker      succoursucker  
tucker, etc. (*see* UCK)UCKING (*see* UCK)

UCKLE

buckle      knuckle  
chuckle      muckle  
huckle      stucklesuckle  
truckle  
unbuckle

honeysuckle

UCKLER

buckler      chuckler

swashbuckler

swingebuckler,  
etc. (*see* UCKLER)

UCKLESS (*see UCK*)

## UCKLING

buckling

duckling

suckling, etc. (*see UCKLE*)

## UCKOLD

cuckold

suckled, etc. (*see UCKLE*)

## UCKY

ducky

mucky

unlucky

lucky

plucky

## UCKRE, EUCHRE, UKER

euchre

fluker

lucre

rebuker

UCTER (*see UCTOR*)

## UCTION

fluxion

defluxion

reduction

raction

destruction

seduction

suction

effluxion

introduction

abduction

induction

misconstruction

affluxion

instraction

reproduction

construction

obstruction

superstruction

deduction

production

superinduction

## UCTIVE

constructive

obstructive

reproductive

deductive

productive

superstructive

destructive

reductive

superinductive

inductive

seductive

Introductive

instructive

## UCTOR

abductor

censtructor

Instructor

conductor

destructor

obstructor

## UDDER, OODER

flooder

rudder

shudder

udder

## UDDING

hooding

pudding

*For rhymes to budding see UD.*

## UDDLE

cruddle

fuddle

muddle

ruddle

euddle

huddle

puddle

UDDLY (*see UDDLE*)

## UDDY, UDY

bloody

cuddy

ruddy

study

cruddy

muddy

studdy

**UDELESS** (*see OOD*)  
**UDELY** (*see EWDLY*)  
**UDENESS** (*see OOD*)

**UDENT**  
prudent student      concludent imprudent

**UDER** (*see OOD*)  
**UDGELESS** (*see UDGE*)

**UDGELING**  
*cudgelling*      drudgeling      judgeling

**UDGEON**  
bludgeon dudgeon      gudgeon      curmudgeon

**UDISH**  
crudish      *new dish*  
lewdish      nudish      prudish  
rudish

**UDLESS** (*see UD*)

**UEL**  
crewel      duel      gruel  
cruel      fuel      jewel

**UELESS** (*see Ew*)

**UELY** (*see ULY*)

**UENT** (*see UANT*)

**UET**  
cruet      pewit      suet

**UEY, Ewy**  
bluey      dewy      roué  
cooee      gluey      viewy

**UFFER, OUGHER**  
buffer huffer      snuffer      tougher, etc.  
duffer puffer      suffer      (*see UFF*)

**UFFIN**  
muffin      puffin      ragamuffin

**UFFING**  
puffing      stuffing, etc. (*see UFF*)

**UFFLE**  
buffle ruffle      shuffle      truffle  
muffle scuffle      snuffle      unmuffle

**UFFLY**  
bluffly roughly      shuffly      truffly  
gruffly ruffly      snuffly  
muffly scuffly      toughly

<b>UFFY</b>	buffy huffy	puffy snuffy	sloughy stuffy
<b>UFFI, UFTY</b>		tufty	
	mufti		
<b>UGAL (see UGLE)</b>			
<b>UGELY</b>			
	hugely	scroogely	
<b>UGGER</b>			
lugger	rugger	snugger	hugger-mug- ger, etc. (see UG)
<b>UGGEST, UGGIST</b>			
	druggist	snuggest, etc. (see UG)	
<b>UGGLE</b>			
goggle	smuggle	struggle	
joggle	snuggle		
<b>UGGLER (see UGGLE)</b>			
<b>UGGLY (see UGLY)</b>			
<b>UGGY</b>			
buggy	muggy	puggy	sluggy
<b>UGLE, UGAL</b>			
bugle	frugal	fugal	fugle
<b>UGLESS (see UG)</b>			
<b>UGLY, UGGLY</b>			
guggly	smuggly	snuggly	struggly
juggly	smugly	snugly	ugly
<b>UICELESS (see OOSE, hard)</b>			
<b>UICY</b>			
	juicy	sluicy	
<b>UISANCE, USANCE</b>			
	nuisance	usance	
<b>UISER (see OOSER)</b>			
<b>UITTING</b>			
		suiting, etc. (see OOT)	
<b>UITTER (see OOTER)</b>			
<b>UITLESS (see OOT)</b>			
<b>UTTY (see OOTY)</b>			
<b>UKER (see UCRE)</b>			
<b>ULELESS (see OOL)</b>			

## ULER

ruler, etc. (*see OOL*)

## ULGAR, ULGOUR

bulgar

fulgour

vulgar

## ULGENCE

effulgence

indulgence

refulgence

## ULGENT

fulgent

emulgent

refulgent

effulgent

indulgent

interfulgent

ULGOUR (*see ULGAR*)

## ULKY

bulky

sulky

## ULLAR, ULLER, OLOUR

culler

duller

discolour

colour

sculler

medullar

ULLET (*as in bullet*)

bullet

pullet

ULLET (*as in gullet*)

gullet

mullet

## ULLEY, ULLY

bully

beautifully

mercifully

worshipfully.

fully

bountifully

pitifully

etc

pulley

dutifully

plentifully

woolly

fancifully

wonderfully

## ULLION

mullion

scullion

ULLY (*as in bully, see ULLEY*)ULLY (*as in sully*)

cully

gully

sully

duddy

hully

## ULSION

compulsion

emulsion

impulsion

repulsion

convulsion

expulsion

propulsion

revulsion

## ULSIVE

compulsive

emulsive

impulsive

repulsive

convulsive

expulsive

propulsive

ULTLESS (*see ULT*)

## ULTRY

sultry

adultery

## ULTURE

culture  
vulturesepulture  
agriculturehorticulture,  
etc.

## ULVER

culver      pulver

## ULY, UELY, EWLY, OOLY

bluely      duly  
coolly      newlythroughly  
trulyunruly  
untruly

## UMAGE

fumage

plumage

roomage

UMAN, UMON (*see* OMAN)

## UMBAR, UMBER

lumbar  
lumber  
numberslumber  
umber  
*cucumber*encumber  
outnumber  
disencumber

## UMBLE

bumble  
crumble  
drumblefumble  
grumble  
humblejumble  
mumble  
rumblestumble  
tumbleUMBLER (*see* UMBLE)UMBLY (B sounded) (*see* UMBLE)UMBLY (B silent) (*see* UMLY)UMELESS (*see* OOM)UMEN (*see* UMINE)

## UMER, UMOUR, OOMER

bloomer  
humourrumour  
tumour

consumer

perfumer, etc. (*see* OOM)

## UMID

fumid

humid

tunid

## UMINE, UMEN

acumen  
bitumenillumine  
legumenrelumine  
catechumenUMING (*see* UME)

## UMLY, OMELY

comely  
dumbly  
grumly  
numblycumbersomely  
frolicsomely  
humoursomely  
mettlesomelyquarrelsomely  
troublesomely  
wearisomely

UMMER, OMER, UMBER comer	glummer	number	summer
drummer	grummer	plumber	new-comer, etc. ( <i>see UM</i> )
dumber	hummer	scummer	
UMMET, UMMIT plummet		summit	
UMMING ( <i>see OMING</i> )			
UMMIT ( <i>see UMMET</i> )			
UMMON	summon	rum 'un	
UMMY crummy	gummy	mummy	tummy
dummy	lummy	rummy	
UMOUR ( <i>see UMER</i> )			
UMOUS			
famous	humus	spumous	
gramous	plumous	strumous	
UMPER bumper	mumper	thumper, etc. ( <i>see UMP</i> )	
UMPET			
crumpet	strumpet	trumpet	
UMFISH dumpish		lumpish	plumpish
UMPLE	crumple	rumple	
UMPLING crumpling	dumpling	plumpling	rumpling
UMPTION			
gumption	assumption	presumption	
sumption	consumption	resumption	
UMPUS ( <i>see OMPASS</i> )			
UMPY ( <i>see UMP</i> )			
UMY ( <i>see OOMY</i> )			
UNAR			
lunar	sooner	tuner	importuner
pruner	spooner	jejuner	
schooner	swooner	lampooner	
UNBURNT	sunburnt	unburnt	

<b>UNCHEON, UNCHION</b>			
luncheon	nunchion	puncheon	truncheon
<b>UNCLE</b>			
crinkle	uncle	carbuncle	
<b>UNCTION</b>			
function	compunction	disjunction	
junction	conjunction	expunction	
unction	defunction	Injunction	
<b>UNCTIVE</b>			
adjunctive	conjunctive	subjunctive	
compunctive	disjunctive		
<b>UNCTURE</b>			
juncture	puncture	conjunction	
<b>UNDANCE</b>	abundance	redundance	
<b>UNDANT</b>	abundant	redundant	superabundant
<b>UNDAY, ONDAY</b>	monday	sunday	
<b>UNDER, ONDER</b>			
blunder	thunder	asunder	refunder
plunder	under	fecunder	rotunder
sunder	wonder	locunder	thereunder
<b>UNDLE</b>			
bundle	rundle	trundle	
<b>UNEFUL, OONFUL</b>			
	spoonful	tuneful	
<b>UNELESS (see OON)</b>			
<b>UNELY, OONLY</b>			
soonly	jejunely	opportunely	
tunely	importuinely		
<b>UNER, OONER</b>			
schooner	tuner	propugner, etc. (see OON)	
sooner	impugner		
<b>UNOER (soft o)</b>			
lunger	plunger	spunger	
<b>UNGER (hard o)</b>			
hunger	monger	younger	ironmonger, etc.
<b>UNGEST (see UNG)</b>			

UNGLE	bungle	jungle	
UNGLING	bungling	youngling	
UNGLY	bungly	youngly	
UNGUS	fungous	fungus	mundungus
UNIO	punic	runic	tunic
UNIER ( <i>see UNIOR</i> )			
UNION			
union	communion	disunion	reunion
UNIOR			
	junior	punier	tunier
UNISH, UNNISH			
	punish	nunnish, etc. ( <i>see UN</i> )	
UNKARD, UNKERED			
	bunkerized	drunkard.	
UNKEN			
	drunken	shrunken	
UNKER			
	bunker	drunker	younker
UNKET			
	junket	plunket	
UNLESS ( <i>see UN</i> )			
UNNEL			
funnel	gunwale	runnel	tunnel
UNNER			
gunner	runner	forerunner, etc. ( <i>see UN</i> )	
ONE-er	stunner		
UNNING			
cunning	running	stunning, etc. ( <i>see UN</i> )	
UNNY, ONEY, ONY			
bunny	sunny	antimony	sanctimony
funny	tunny	ceremony	testimony
honey	acrimony	matrimony	
money	agrimony	parsimony	
sonny	alimony	patrimony	

<b>UNTER</b>			
bunter	hunter		fortune-hunter, etc. ( <i>see UN</i> )
<b>UNTING</b>			
	bunting		afronting, etc. ( <i>see UNT</i> )
<b>UNTLE, ONTAL</b>			
frontal	gruntle		disgruntle contrapuntal
<b>UNTRESS, OUNTRIES</b>			
	<i>countries</i>		huntress
<b>UPID</b>			
	cupid		stupid
<b>UPIL, UPLE</b>			
scruple	pupil		<i>quadruple, etc.</i>
<b>UPOR</b> ( <i>see OOPER</i> )			
<b>UPPER</b>			
crupper	supper		upper, etc. ( <i>see UP</i> )
<b>UPPISH</b>			
	puppish		upkish, etc. ( <i>see UP</i> )
<b>UPPLE, OUPLE</b>			
	couple		supple
<b>URA</b>			
	caesura		camera-obscura
<b>URAL</b>			
crural		plural	Intramural
mural		rural	
<b>URANCE</b>			
durance	assurance	endurance	insurance
<b>URBAN</b>			
turban		urban	suburban
<b>URBISH, ERBISH</b>			
	furbish		superblish
<b>URBOT, ERBET</b>			
	sherbet		turbot
<b>URCHASE, OURTEOUS</b>			
	<i>courteous</i>		purchase
<b>URCHASED, URCHEST</b>			
lurchest	purchased		searchest, etc. ( <i>see URCH</i> )
<b>URCHIN</b> ( <i>see IRCHEN</i> )			
<b>URDEN, ERDON</b>			
burden	guerdon	disburden	overburden

**URDER** (*see IRDER*)**URDLESS** (*see EARD*)**URDLY** (*see IRDLY*)**URDY, IRDIE**

birdie	sturdy	hurdy-gurdy
curdy	wordy	

**URELESS** (*see OOR*)**URELY, OORLY**

poorly	demurely	obscurely	prematurely
purely	impurely	securely	
surely	maturely	immaturely	

**UREST** (*see URIST*)**URFLESS** (*see ERF*)**URFY, URPHY**

murphy	scurfy	surfy	turfy
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**URGELESS** (*see ERGE*)**URGENT** (*see ERGENT*)**URGEON, ERGEON**

bourgeon	sturgeon	habergeon
gurgeon	surgeon	

**URGER** (*see ERGER*)**URIAL**

augurial	mercurial
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**URIANT, URIENT**

prurient	esurient	luxuriant	parturient
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**URING****curing****during**

luring	non-juring, etc. ( <i>see OOR</i> )
enduring	

**URION**

centurion	decurion
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**URIOUS****curious****'urious**

spurious	injurious	penurious
incurious	luxurious	usurious

**URIST, UREST**

jurist	poorest	surest	signaturist, etc. ( <i>see OOR</i> )
lurest	purist	endurest	

**URKEY, ERKY, IRKY, URKY**

jerky	perky	turkey
murky	smirky	

URLESS ( <i>see ER</i> )		
URLIEU, URLEW	curlew	purlieu
URLING ( <i>see ERLING</i> )		
URLY ( <i>see EARLY</i> )		
URMOIL	sperm-oil	turmoll
URMUR ( <i>see IRMER</i> )		
URNACE	furnace	<i>sternness</i>
URNET	burnet	gurnet
URNEY ( <i>see OURNEY</i> )		
URNIAN, ERNION	ternion	quaternien
URNISH	burnish	furnish
URNLESS ( <i>see URN</i> )		
UROR, OORER, etc.		
juror	poorer	non-juror, etc. ( <i>see OOR</i> )
URPLE, ERPLE	herple	purple
URPLEST, ERPLEST, URPLICED	herplest	surpled
URRET	turret	worrit
URRIER		
currier	furrier	spurrler
URROW	burrow	furrow
URRY		
flurry	hurry	urry
furry	scurry	worry
URSAR, USRER, ERCER		
bursar	mercer	purser, etc. ( <i>see ERSE</i> )
URSELESS ( <i>see ERCE</i> )		
URSIVE ( <i>see ERCIVE</i> )		
URSION ( <i>see ERSIAN</i> )		

URSLING	<i>firstling</i>	nurseling	verseling
URTAIN ( <i>see ERTAIN</i> )			
URTFUL			
hurtful		assertful	desertful
URTLE ( <i>see IRTLE</i> )			
URTLY ( <i>see ERTLY</i> )			
URTY ( <i>see IRTY</i> )			
URVY ( <i>see ERVY</i> )			
URY, EWRY, OURI			
brewery	fury	jewry	<i>moory</i>
ewry	houri	jury	<i>de jure</i>
URZY ( <i>see ERSEY</i> )			
USAL ( <i>see OOZLE</i> )			
USANT ( <i>see UCENT</i> )			
USCLE, USSEL, USSLE, USTLE			
bustle	muscle		rustle
hustle	mussel		tussle
justle	nustle		<i>corpuscle</i>
USELESS ( <i>see OOZE, hard</i> )			
USELY, OOSELY			
loosely	diffusely		profusely
abstrusely	obtusely		
USHER			
	gusher	usher, etc. ( <i>see Ush</i> )	
USHY ( <i>as in brushy</i> )			
brushy	gushy	mushy	rushy
USHY ( <i>as in bushy</i> )			
	bushy	pushy	
USIER ( <i>see IZIER</i> )			
USIL ( <i>see OOZLE</i> )			
USSION			
fusion	delusion	illusion	pertusion
allusion	diffusion	inclusion	profusion
collusion	effusion	infusion	protrusion
conclusion	elusion	intrusion	suffusion
confusion	exclusion	obtrusion	transfusion
contusion	extrusion	obtusion	circumfusion
USIVE ( <i>see UCIVE</i> )			

USKLESS (*see USK*)

## USKY

busky  
duskyhusky  
musky

tusky

## USSET

gusset

russet

USSEL (*see USCLE*)

## USSIAN, USSION

prussian  
russianconcussion  
discussionpercussion  
repercussionUSSLE (*see USCLE*)USSY (*see UZZY*)

## USTARD, USTERED

blustered      custard  
bustard      flusteredmustered  
mustard, etc. (*see USTRE*)USTER (*see USTRE*)

## USTFUL

lustful  
trustfuldisgustful  
distrustful

mistrustful

## USTIAN, USTION

fustian

combustion

## USTIC

fistic

rustic

## USTINOS

hustings

trustlings, etc. (*see UST*)USTION (*see USTIAN*)USTLE (*see USCLE*)USTLER (*see USCLE*)USTLESS (*see UST*)

## USTOM, USTUM

custom

frustum

accustom

## USTRE, USTER

bluster      lustre  
buster      muster  
duster      thruster  
fluster      truster  
jester      adjusterauguster  
disguster  
distruster  
entruster  
lack-instrermistruster  
robuster  
unjuster, etc.  
(*see UST*)

<b>USTRIOUS</b>	<b>Illustrious</b>	<b>industrious</b>	
USTRY crusty dusty	fusty gusty	musty rusty	trusty
<b>USY (see IZZY)</b>			
<b>UTAL (see OOTLE)</b>			
<b>UTELESS (see OOT)</b>			
<b>UTELY</b>			
fruitly mutely acutely		dilutely minutely <i>absolutely</i>	<i>dissolutely</i> <i>resolutely</i> <i>irresolutely</i>
<b>UTHFUL</b>			
ruthful	truthful	youthful	untruthful
<b>UTHLESS (see OOTH)</b>			
<b>UTIO</b>			
	scorbutic	pharmaceutic	
<b>UTILE</b>			
futile	utile		inutile
<b>UTION</b>			
ablution dilution pollution solution absolution allocution attribution collocution consecution	constitution contribution convolution destitution devolution diminution dissolution distribution eloquence	evolution execution institution involution persecution prosecution prostitution resolution restitution	retribution revolution substitution circumlocution circumvolution interlocution irresolution
<b>UTIST, OOTEST, etc.</b>			
shootest	computist	institutist	pharmaceutist, etc. (see OOT)
<b>UTLER, UBTLER, UTTLER</b>			
butler cutler	scuttler subtler	sutler, etc. (see UTILE)	
<b>UTLESS (see UT)</b>			
<b>UTNEY</b>			
chutney	putney	gluttony	muttony
<b>UTOR (see OOTER)</b>			

UTTER			
butter	gutter	splutter	rebutter
clutter	mutter	sputter	surrebutter
cutter	putter	strutter	
flutter	shutter	utter	
UTTI, OOTY			
	sooty	tutti-frutti	
UTTING, OOTING			
	footing	putting	
UTTING			
	cutting	abutting, etc. (see UT)	
UTTLE, UBTLE			
buttle		scuttle	subtle
cuttle		shuttle	
UTTLING (see OTTLE)			
UTTON			
button	glutton	mutton	unbutton
UTTY, UTTEE			
cutty	nutty	putty	smutty
gutty	puttee	rutty	tutty
UTY (see OOTY)			
UVIAL			
	pluvial	alluvial	
UVIAN, UVION			
alluvion	diluvian	postdiluvian	antediluvian
UXION (see UCTION)			
UYER (see IRE)			
UZZLE			
guzzle	muzzle	nuzzle	puzzle
UZZLER (see UZZLE)			
UZZY, USSY			
fuzzy	hussy		muzzy
YAD (see LAD)			
YCHNINE (see ICKENING)			
YCLE, IKEL			
	cycle	pkel	
YGIAN, IDGEON, IGEON, IGION			
pigeon	stygian		religion
phrygian	widgeon		irreligion

FGMY		
PYGMY	<i>bigamy</i>	<i>polygamy</i>
FING		
	underlying	unsatisfying, etc. ( <i>see Y, h</i> )
YLUM, ILOM		
	whilom	<i>asylum</i>
YMBAL, YMBOL ( <i>see IMBLE</i> )		
YMBOL		
YMELESS ( <i>see IME</i> )		
YMIST, IMMEST		
	chymist	slimmest, etc. ( <i>see IM</i> )
YNTAX, INTAKS		
INTAKS	<i>syntax</i>	<i>tintacks</i>
YOT ( <i>see IATE</i> )		
YPELESS ( <i>see IPE</i> )		
YPHEN, YPHON, IPHON		
gryphon	<i>hyphen</i>	<i>siphon</i>
YPFIST, IPFST		
	ripest	<i>typist, etc.</i> ( <i>see IPE</i> )
YPRESS		
	cypress	<i>viperess</i>
YRANT ( <i>see IRANT</i> )		
YRELESS ( <i>see IRE</i> )		
YRIST, IREST		
	lyrist	<i>tirest, etc.</i> ( <i>see IRE</i> )
YRTLE ( <i>see IRTLE</i> )		
YRUP ( <i>see IRRUP</i> )		
YSIAN ( <i>see ISION</i> )		
YSIO ( <i>see ISIC</i> )		
YSTAL, ISTOL		
	crystal	<i>pistol</i>



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